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REACTION IN THE WEST AGAINST EXPANSION.

We publish elsewhere a strong article from the Baltimore Sun entitled "A Most Unpopular War." It will be recalled that the President derived from the West, or is said to have derived from the West, the inspiration for his change of attitude on the subject of expansion, which occurred between the signing of the protocol at Washington and the critical time at Paris when his Peace Commissioners there, under instructions from Washington, "expanded" the meaning of the protocol. By this act the cession of all the Phillippines was required as the price of peace, instead of only a small part of one of the islands as the protocol seemed to call for. Thus the "expansion" of the protocol has brought us face to face with the reality of territorial expansion; which in turn has brought on the war with our Filipino subjects of expansion; which, again, has sent death and wounds into the ranks of the regiments from the very Western States which were alleged to have supplied the President with his expansionist inspiration; and which States, finally, by the irony of fate, have been filled with women weeping over bereavements caused by their own ultimate act when only the "intoxication of war" possessed them!

Two or three days ago we printed the account of a young woman in one of the Western States who committed suicide after brooding for twelve hours over the news of the death of her lover, who was slain in one of the battles before Malolos, and whom she had induced to enlist in the army in that glorious seedtime of war which had so impressed the short-sighted President. Far wiser was the calm prognostication of the results of expansion which was made by Mr. Bryan, and who now consistently appears as the real author of Governor Poynter's veto, referred to and commended in the Sun's article. And yesterday our dispatches contained the news that many of the poor fellows in our army of civilization in Luzon, disheartened by their physical sufferings, deliberately expose themselves to death at the hands of the enemy.

The reactionary wave of opinion in the West in consequence of all these things is said to be something altogether out of the common.

DISSOLUTION OF THE CUBAN ASSEMBLY.

On Tuesday evening the Cuban military assembly voted to disband the army and to dissolve, by a vote of 21 to 1. The President of the assembly, General de Andrade, closed the meeting with these words: "As the shadows of the night fall over the city, we finish our work. So is Cuba's future clouded and dark. I take leave of you with sorrow, and my last words are: May Cuba some day be free and independent." The one adverse vote against dissolution, referred to above, was cast by Salvador Cisneros, who, in 1895, was chosen President of the Cuban republic, but was succeeded by Maso.

Thus has passed away the last organization of Cubans having a legislative or quasi legislative character. The act of dissolution and of disbandment of the army is understood to have been the result of the unsuccessful attempt of the representatives of the assembly sent to Washington to obtain an increase of the sum ($3,000,000) sent by President McKinley to Cuba for the purpose of paying off the Cuban army in consideration of their agreeing to disband.

It is given out from Washington that great relief is felt by the administration at this final yielding of the assembly to its terms, and that the way is now open to the "reconstruction" of the island.

"Reconstruction" is an ominous word to those who have struggled to be free and lost. Let us devoutly hope that the third of a century which has intervened between the "reconstruction" of the South (which General Dick Taylor in his fascinating book aptly described as "destruction") and this later experiment of the same name, may have conferred adequate wisdom for such a momentous undertaking.

CURRENT COMMENT.

New York has started a movement for securing the holding in that city of both of the great national conventions in 1900. New York has had but one national convention to sit in it, that of the Democratic party in 1868 which nominated Seymour. Baltimore was the great convention city before the war, as Chicago has become since.

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One of the amusing results of the recent mayoralty contest in Chicago is the gingerness with which all parties handle the returns. No one seems yet to have decided just what they portend. Altgeld comes in third as was understood before the election he would do, but he received a much larger vote than was anticipated. Harrison has beaten the Republican candidate; but it is admitted that he received a great many Republican votes—though why this should be so, is not so apparent.

Can He Sing It?

Springfield Republican.

To Rev. Dr. Wayland Hoyt, who says that "every bullet sent, every cannon shot, every flag waved, means righteousness," these lines, adapted from a message of Emperor William I. to his wife, are dedicated:

Five thousand Filipinos sent below—
Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Loubet and His Peasant Mother.

The President of France, M. Loubet, has just gone to Montelimar to visit his native place. A cable, describing the event, says:

When the President met his aged mother, who was awaiting him on a platform in front of the town hall, he alighted from his carriage and tenderly embraced her. Madame Loubet shed tears of joy.

A great deal has been said and written about the mother of M. Loubet since he was elevated to the presidency of France. His first act after he was elected was to send a telegram to his mother, who is eighty-six years old. The postman who delivered the dispatch found her in the poultry yard of her farm gathering eggs. She showed the telegram to the first friend she met and said:

"Mon Dieu, Mon Dieu, what a misfortune to my poor boy. As it was I saw but little of him, and now that he has gone still higher I shall see him no longer at all."

M. Loubet is the son of a peasant. His own occupation is that of a lawyer.

The Late Cuban Assembly.

We made mention the other day of the dissolution of the Cuban Assembly, the last legislative body in that Island. A more detailed account of its origin will be interesting at this time.

With the beginning of the Ten Years' War, a government, republican in form, was organized in the Island of Cuba. Carlos Manuel Cespedes was elected as the first President, in 1868. A constitution was drafted and accepted, and officials were duly elected and appointed to the various positions provided by the by laws. This organization was dissolved by the terms of peace arranged between Martinez Campos and Maximo Gomez in 1878.

At the beginning of the last war, in 1895, a new government was organized, with Cisneros as President and Masso as Vice President. In 1897 Masso became President, with Mendez Capote as Vice President. The seat of government was of a somewhat movable nature, though nominally located at Santa Cruz del Sur, on the southern coast of the island, in the province of Puerto Principe, and almost south of the central city of Puerto Principe. The time for such a course appearing to be at hand, this organization was dissolved by President Masso, who returned to his plantation. Both this and the one which preceded it were governments which, nominally at least, possessed and exercised both civil and military powers.

Upon the dissolution of this organization, in December, 1898, a new body was established under the imposing title of La Asamblea de Representantes del Ejercito Cubano, or The Assembly of Representatives of the Cuban Army. This is the body which has just been dissolved.

"The members," says a recent correspondent, "were supposed to be elected by the soldiers of the Cuban army, a representative being chosen by each of the thirty-one army corps. A United States army corps consists of 30,000 men. A Cuban army corps appears to have consisted of any number of commissioned officers from Major-Generals downward, provided they could find two or three privates to compose their army. This Assembly has no civil powers or functions. Its business was, as its name indicates, to represent and to provide for the army. Presumably, it was chosen by vote of the troops, each corps electing its own representative. Actually, it is stated by good authority that, in the majority of cases, the choice and the election were made by the corps commander. The late Calixto Garcia was the first President of this Assembly. Upon his death the place was filled by the election, by his associates in the body, of Mendez Capote. Capote resigning, the present incumbent, Freyre Andrade, was elected as president.

"This assembly is made up of men whose names are well known. It includes Generals, such as Lacret, Sanguilly, Ducasse, Cisneros, and Portuondo. Aristides Aguero is a doctor and Andrade is a lawyer. It includes also a little man with shiny black hair, eye glasses, and an emphatically negro nose. This is Juan Gualberto Gomez, otherwise known as 'the black agitator.' Some of the Assembly are white, some are mulatto, and some are quite distinctly negro."

News of Interest.

The new corporation (railroad) commissioners, Messrs. Frank McNeill, S. L. Rogers and E. C. Beddingfield, met yesterday and organized. The commissioners re-elected Henry Clay Brown as clerk at a salary of $1,800 and Miss Elsie Riddick, of Gates county, stenographer, at a salary of $720.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Home Insurance Company in Raleigh yesterday Mr. Pulaski Cowper was elected President of the company to succeed Mr. W. S. Primrose, who declined a re-election.

The casualties in the Phillippines from February 4th to April 4th inclusive, as reported to the Adjutant General, are as follows: Killed, 184; wounded, 976. Total, 1,160.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at B. E. Bedberry & Son's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

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A Most Unpopular War.

Baltimore Sun.

The signs of the growing unpopularity of the war which is being waged against the people of the Philippine Islands for doing that which our forefathers did in 1776, and for which we have sympathized by turns with South Americans, with Greeks, with Poles, with Hungarians, are daily becoming more vividly manifest. It is a significant fact that all the volunteer regiments serving in the Phillippines, with the single exception of one regiment from Pennsylvania, are from far Western States—from Washington, Oregon, Wyoming, Idaho, Montana, North and South Dakota, California, Utah, Nebraska and Kansas. Yet it is precisely in these States that the signs of increasing dissatisfaction with the conduct and prolongation of the war are beginning to appear most pronounced. Nearly all of these Western regiments have seen longer and harder service already than fell to the lot of any of the volunteer regiments that were sent to Cuba or Porto Rico. They have earned, many of them, a reputation for gallantry equal to that of the flower of the regular army. But not even the glamour of victory has blinded their eyes, or those of their friends and relatives at home, with whom they correspond, to the repulsive and thankless nature of the task in which they are engaged.

Letters from private soldiers serving in regiments from the Pacific coast, strongly corroborative of this fact, have been communicated to and from time to time have appeared in the columns of The Sun. In a recent number of the New England Homestead, Mr. Herbert Myrick, the well known writer on Agricultural topics, gives the result of his personal observations on a journey he has just made of ten thousand miles through twenty seven States. He writes: "The unpopularity of the war in the Phillippines increases in the West with each Western boy who is killed or wounded in the attempt to conquer a people who are fighting for the American principle of independence. This feeling is intensified with each mail from Manila, bringing as it does a mass of confidential information that emphasizes the complexities brought on by the un American policy of subjugation. This seriously illuminating correspondence is never printed, but it is having a none the less powerful influence upon public opinion, especially in the Pacific coast States."

A republican paper, the World, published in Lawrence, Kansas, referring to the killing of one citizen of that place and the serious wounding of another, in the Kansas regiment which has particularly distinguished itself in the Phillippines, says: "Again the horrors of war have been brought home to our people. Are the possibilities worth the cost? The people of Lawrence as one man would answer that they are not. This senseless war with the Philippine Islands is doing damage to the homes and hearts of our people, and yet there is no good end in prospect. Suppose we subdue them, which we certainly will do in time, what have we then? A lot of insurrectionary savages on our hands." From the Kansas City Times we quote editorially as follows: "Five more Kansas boys were offered up on the altar of expansion on Sunday, and eleven Kansans were among the wounded at Malabon. This makes twenty eight dead and upward of sixty wounded in the Kansas regiment in Luzon, a record that brings the issue close to home. Are the islands worth it? Twenty eight Kansas mothers, their gray heads bowed in grief, are not alone in believing not. The relatives and friends of every Kansas boy pierced by an insurgent bullet are not the only ones who believe not. Every Kansas boy killed at Manila means five hundred votes against imperialism, and five hundred votes in favor of the rugged American democracy of Jefferson and Jackson."

If Colonel Funston and his brave boys of the Twentieth Kansas have been among the heroes of the war, the men of Nebraska have not been far behind them, and it was natural that the Legislature of that State should pass a resolution praising the First Nebraska regiment for its gallantry. That resolution the Governor of the State has just vetoed, and his veto has been sustained by the House, the more numerous and popular branch of the Legislature, not because either the Governor or those who voted to sustain the veto did not wish to do honor to the brave sons of their State, but because of the wording of the resolution. The resolution read in part as follows: "That we acknowledge with gratitude and joy the debt which the State owes them by reason of the honor conferred upon it by their valor while defending in the Phillippines the principles of our government and adding new glory to our flag." The Governor in his veto message says: "I cannot stultify myself and the calm judgment of the thinking people of this Commonwealth by giving official approval to the statement that the war of conquest now carried on in the Phillippines is in defense of the principles of our government and is adding new glory to our flag."

In a letter just published, addressed to a number of prominent citizens of Boston, commending the attitude of Senator Hoar in Congress upon the Phillippine question, and inviting him to address them upon a future day, the Massachusetts Senator writes: "Undoubtedly there should be, and there will be, many public meetings the country over to protest against trampling under foot the rights of a brave people struggling for their liberties, the violation of the principles of our own constitution and of the Declaration of Independence, and the continuance by the American people in the costly and ruinous path which has brought other republics to ruin and shame, which will dishonor labor, place intolerable burdens upon agriculture, and fasten upon the republic the shame of what President McKinley has lately and so truthfully declared to be 'criminal aggression.'" The Senator sees the signs of that mighty revulsion of popular feeling which is surely coming and of which the evidences are already so striking in the West. He truthfully adds that "the blood of the slaughtered Filipinos, the blood and the wasted health and life of our own soldiers, are upon the heads of those who have undertaken to buy a people in the market like sheep, or to treat them as lawful prize and booty of war, to impose a government on them without their consent, and to trample under foot not only the people of the Phillippine Islands, but the principles upon which the American republic itself rests."

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The Election of Senators

Atlanta Constitution.

Homer Davenport presents a speaking portrait of one of our modern states men in The New York Journal, and writes under it this comment: "Under the present system senators are possible who, if voted for by the people, couldn't run for dog catchers."

The statement is a blunt expression of the truth, and it demonstrates the necessity of placing the election of senators directly in the hands of the people. Those who created the framework of our government had no idea of the corrupting influences to which our politics would be subjected. They could look forward to the growth and spread of civilization in this country, but they had not the remotest idea that the commercial spirit would enter into and practically take charge of politics in many states and communities. They never had a dream that millionaires would arise who, in order to promote private interests, would be willing to spend half a million or more for the influence which goes with a seat in the senate.

In theory, the people do not elect their president. They vote for representatives known as electors, and these electors assemble on a certain day at the capitol and cast their vote for the presidential candidate of their choice. In theory, this electoral college, as it is called, has the right to ignore the candidates nominated by the parties and select a man whose name has not been mentioned for the office, and the man so selected would by president of the United States.

In effect, however, the electoral college has already been abolished. It is a mere clumsy appurtenance possessing no importance whatever. To vote for electors is the merest formality, though it sometimes happens that the president receiving the largest popular vote is not elected. In due time, the people themselves will bring about a reform in this matter, but just at present they are interested in the movement to reform the present plan of electing senators.

John J. Ingalls, who, whatever else may be said about him, is a man of extraordinary keenness, discusses this reform in a recent issue of The New York Journal, and refers to some of the scandals of legislative deadlocks. He calls attention to the fact that the senate is the most impressive and dignified body in our political structure. In the matter of treaties and confirmations of appointments it shares in the executive power of the president, and is thus able to dictate the policy of the administration. Thus a seat in the senate becomes an object of supreme desire to men who are politically ambitious, or who perceive in the importance and influence of the office a means to promote their private greed.

A number of senators from the far western states were chosen because of their wealth. Henry B. Payne defeated George H. Pendleton in Ohio in 1885 because he had the Standard Oil Company behind him. Calvin Brice, a citizen of New York, was made senator from Ohio on account of his money. Mark A Hanna was similarly elected. In Delaware, a man named J. Edward Addicks has deadlocked the legislature three times with his bank account. He says openly, according to report, that the senatorship is his and that he will have it or prevent any one else from getting it.

Addicks is not a citizen of Delaware in the true sense. He made his money elsewhere, partly by operating in gas stocks in Philadelphia. He bought his Delaware senatorship (as he thinks) by contributing to the republican campaign fund. If the matter were left in the hands of the people, Addicks would never be heard of as a candidate for the senate. He has deprived the people of Delaware of a vote in the senate for two years.

In the Montana legislature thousand dollar bills to the number of thirty were openly displayed as the alleged compensation offered for three votes for senator.

The legislature of Utah has adjourned without electing a senator. The legislature of California, after a session made up of scandals, left a Senatorial vacancy when it adjourned. The country is still enjoying the spectacle of the Quay deadlock in the Pennsylvania legislature.

All these things go to show that the remedy for this state of things is to place the selection of senators in the hands of the people. Not all legislatures can be controlled or manipulated by men with money, but some of them are so manipulated, and it is an easier matter to corrupt a legislature than it is to deceive the people.

The senate will lose nothing in dignity and impressiveness, but will gain in those qualities when its members feel that they represent the whole body of the people in their respective states, and are responsible only to that body. More than that, no senator will have to serve out his term with suspicion pointing her finger at him.

It is natural, after these recent exhibitions of legislative weakness, that the public should begin to look with distrust on the present method of selecting senators. The remedy is to elect them by the direct vote of the people.

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Philadelphia Record.

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In Pennsylvania we have sometimes seen the most pacific of men elected to the office of Auditor General, and straightway the general auditor of the accounts of the Commonwealth was saluted as "General." When one of his clerks entered his office in the morning and addressed him as "General" he accepted the military rank thus gratuitously bestowed on him with as much pride as if he had won the grade on the field of battle.

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"At the present time over 4,000 miles are either under contract or actually under construction. The following States show over 100 miles of lines under contract or under construction: Pennsylvania, 160 miles; West Virginia, 140; Virginia, 100; North Carolina, 182; Georgia, 146; Florida, 153; Alabama, 109; Louisiana, 144; Michigan, 171; Illinois, 185; Minnesota, 135; Iowa, 291; Indian and Oklahoma Territories, 204; Arkansas, 216; Texas, 108 (including 82 miles of grade, most of which was completed last year); California, 175; Idaho, 207; Oregon, 127; Washington, 180.

"Many important extensions and connecting links are being undertaken by some of the largest systems in the West, which have the money on hand to complete the work. Among these are the Illinois Central, Chicago and North western, Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company.

"Eight Central, Northern and Northwestern States show nearly 1,000 miles either under contract or under construction. There will also be a large mileage added in the Pacific States, work being in progress on over 900 miles at the present time.

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Both young ladies are well known in Fayetteville and will make charming representatives of our State.

Damage to Berry Crop.

Our truckers report considerable damage to the berry crop, but not enough to cause them to despair.

Mr. W. L. Hill, of Warsaw, President of the E. C. Fruit and Truck Grower's Association, writing to the Wilmington Star, says: In reply to yours will say that it is difficult to approximate with any degree of certainty the damage done by storm. It looks as though thirty-three and one-third per cent. of berries are killed.

The "Tolar, Hart and Holt Mill" Incorporated.

The Raleigh News and Observer of Friday contained the following:

The "Tolar, Hart & Holt Mills" was yesterday incorporated by the Secretary of State, with a capital stock of $100,000. The incorporators are W. L. Holt, John R. Tolar, J. H. Hart, J. R. Tolar, Jr., and E. H. Williamson.

The principal office and place of business shall be at or near Fayetteville, with the privilege of establishing branch offices and places of business. The business of the said company shall be the erection and operation of mills and factories; the purchase and sale of cotton, wool, hemp, jute, flax, silk and other textile products; the manufacture, spinning, weaving, dying and bleaching of cotton and other products; also stamping, printing coloring and figuring of any such manufactured product.

The Raleigh correspondent of last Friday's Wilmington Messenger says:

Cotton milling is very active. The mills are making money in this State. The Trenton mill declares a 20 per cent. dividend. The Coolemere cotton mill, in Davie county, on the Yadkin river, is to be built this year and will cost $1,000,000. The good news also comes that Fayetteville is to have another $100,000 ten-thousand spindle mill, to make soft yarns. It is said that within the next sixty days work will begin on eight or nine mills.

Jessup Saying.

Jessup, N. C., April 3, 1899.

Mr. Frank Tyson and wife of Cumnock, is visiting Mr. Benj. Tyson.

Miss Cattie Harrington, of Glendon, is visiting the family of E. J. Harrington.

Misses Willie and Laura Wicker, of Tempting, is the guest of Mrs. S. H. Lewis.

Mr. W. J. Underwood, of Cameron, has removed to his farm near Jessup.

Miss Sarah Field was burned to death Wenesday. It is not known how the sad accident occurred, as Miss Field was alone at the time.

Only five were present at the Teachers' Association Saturday, another result of smallpox scare.

The most bitter enemy of Wm. J. Bryan cannot deny his power of observation. Doubtless Bryan had heard of Hobson's fame as a naval hero, but not one of the many he has kissed has uttered a single word of praise. Hurrah for Bryan! The man that has something better to do than to kiss girls. DONTON.

Another Fearful Catastrophe in New York—Millionaire Andrews and Family and Twelve People Burned to Death.

By telegraphto the Observer.

New York, April 7th.—The coroner this morning announced that twelve persons lost their lives in the burning of millionaire Andrews' house. Besides these Kate Doney, Marie Roth, Mrs. St. Johns' maids are missing. The bodies may be in the ruins of the Andrews house. The fire began early this morning in the mansion of Wallace C. Andrews, the millionaire president of the New York Steamheating Company on East Sixty-seventh street. The flames spread so rapidly that the family was cut off, and when awakened from sleep were unable to reach the street. The entire family of Mr. Andrews, also the family of his son-in-law Gamaliel St. John perished. Mr. St. John went to Wilmington yesterday and escaped. The dead are: Wallace C. Andrews and wife, Mrs. Geogie St. John their daughter and Green Wallace and Frederick, the children of Mr. St. John, and servants, Nellie Bolden, Mary Flanagan, Eva Paterson, Kate Downing, Marie Ross and Annie Neary. Jenning Burns, the laundress, lies in the hospital. The bodies of Mrs. St. John and children are identified. Six others have been found, two are believed to be those of Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, the rest servants. Alice White, the cook, is in the hospital in a critical condition from the shock.

The flames skipped two blocks, catching the residence of A. L. Adams, the sportsman, on Sixty ninth street. A number of the inmates jumped from the windows. Mrs. Adams was injured in the back and is suffering from the shock. Nellie Quinn, a servant, jumped from the third floor to the extension and was severely bruised. Mrs. Mary Langlan, the house keeper died in the hospital, and four others are injured.

Burial of the War Heroes at Arlington.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Washington, April 6th.—With full military honors, in the presence of the President and Cabinet and a multitude of people, the bodies of 336 dead heroes who gave their lives for their country in Cuba and Porto Rico, were consigned this afternoon to their last resting place in Arlington cemetery.

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A Patriotic Governor.

Governor Stone, of Pennsylvania, has written a letter to a gentleman at Gettysburg declining to sign a petition addressed to the Secretary of the Navy urging that one of the new cruisers be named the "Gettysburg." In it he expresses these patriotic sentiments:

"If naming a cruiser 'Gettysburg' would alone honor and distinguish the excellent town of that name I would not hesitate to join with you in this request; but to the world that name typifies a great battle, which settled a controversy between the North and the South of our country. To both sections it recalls a great heroic struggle.

"In the recent war with Spain the North and the South were blended as one in defense of our flag. Our battle ships and cruisers are manned by sailors and marines from both the North and the South, and I do not think it wise that a name should be selected for any of our vessels that will revive the unpleasantness which grew out of the civil war and existed for so many years.

"Let Gettysburg be honored and revered as the site of a great battle, wherein the survivors of the Northern army and the survivors of the Southern army can alike uphold the valor of their comrades. I am not in favor of giving any vessel in our navy a name which will distinguish a battle fought by Americans against Americans."

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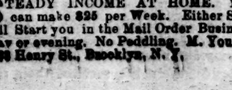

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A VALUABLE PUBLICATION.

The North Carolina "Educational Report" for 1896-7 and 1898-9, which Superintendent Mebane has prepared and recently issued, is a remarkable publication. It is a very valuable book and highly creditable to the State and to the Superintendent himself. It contains two parts—the first, of 732 pages, dealing with the public schools and State institutions; and the second, of 203 pages, with the denominational colleges and high schools and the academies and private schools—to which a complete index is appended.

It is not our purpose at this time to review this large and exhaustive work—that would be a task of magnitude and require more time than is now at our disposal—but to call attention to the interesting article on "The Schools of Cumberland," which we reproduce elsewhere from the "Sketches of some of the Old or Extinct Schools in the Counties of North Carolina," contained in the volume. These sketches were prepared for Superintendent Mebane by Dr. Kemp P. Battle, Professor of History at the University, and occupy 158 pages. They embody the painstaking researches of the distinguished author and historian, and supply a mine of information long hidden from the public in anything approaching a collected form. It is an extraordinary work, and stimulates in us anew the desire, which we have several times before expressed, that the Legislature should lose no time in giving Dr. Battle the authority and the means for writing a history of North Carolina, worthy of the State. Since the death of Governor Swain, there is no one who approaches him in the capacity for such an undertaking, and certainly North Carolina has never had a more devoted son. Now that the State is, we trust, entering upon a more settled life, we would earnestly urge upon those who give attention to such matters the pressing importance of formulating a plan for the proposed work in time for the next General Assembly.

THE BRUTAL FILIPINO POLICY.

Mr. Gamaliel Bradford is a Boston gentleman given to economic and political writing whom we have had occasion before to quote with approval. We do not know what he calls himself in the political nomenclature of the day, but what he says entitles him to be called a Jeffersonian Democrat. Mr. Bradford describes the proclamation issued the other day to the Filipinos by the President's commission as "astonishing," and points out the necessity of separating the kernel from the honied globule which is used to disguise the bitterness of the pill. Accordingly he extracts these words from the proclamation:

"The supremacy of the United States must and will be enforced throughout every part of the archipelago, and those who resist it can accomplish no end other than their own ruin."

—and says that there is the whole policy in its brutal nakedness, "thoroughly characteristic of the real President and 'boss' of the United States, 'Hon.' Marcus A. Hanna."

The rest of the proclamation, our Jeffersonian declares, bears a strong resemblance to the platform of a political party convention. Thus, for example:

"Unfortunately, these pure aims and purposes of the American government and people have been misinterpreted to some of the inhabitants of certain islands, and as a consequence the friendly American forces have, without provocation or cause, been openly attacked."

And this, too, after we had availed ourselves of the aid of the Filipinos to expel the Spaniards, against whom the Filipinos were fighting for independence!

RELATIONS OF ARMY AND NAVY OFFICERS TO POLITICS.

In an interview with the Manila correspondent of Leslie's Weekly, Admiral Dewey says that under no conditions could he or would he be a candidate for the presidency. He said he "had no politics," and described his status thus:

"I am a sailor. A sailor has no politics. The administration is his party, and, republican or democrat, it makes no difference. Then again, I come from Vermont, and you know what that means. To be anything but a republican in Vermont is to be a man without a party. My flag lieutenant comes from Georgia. He tells me that to be anything but a democrat in the South is to be nobody. If I lived South I would probably be a democrat."

"Have you ever voted?" the correspondent asked.

"Yes, years ago," was the reply, "but my vote was usually influenced by personal preference or local conditions. I am not a politician, have never held political office, and am totally ignorant of party intricacies and affiliations."

That is the true position for an army or a navy officer to occupy. He should have, in the nature of things, nothing to do with politics. The army and navy represent the despotic element in government. There is an ultimate despotism in every form of government, or it would not govern. The army and navy are its efficient agent. Besides their life service, their relation to the body politic in a republic is totally different from that of any other of its constituents. The administration is not only "his party," as Admiral Dewey so well says, but it is his sovereign.

An army and navy, therefore, in a republic is merely a necessary evil; and when we give due consideration to this fact and the others mentioned, we are prepared to comprehend the danger of standing armies in such a government as ours. The founders of the republic knew what they were doing when they inveighed against "standing armies."

SHALL THE WHITE HOUSE BE "THE SEPULCHRE OF THE NATION'S HONOR?"

We quoted yesterday from the comments of Mr. Gamaliel Bradford on the president's peace commissioners' proclamation to the Filipinos. Here is another extract from his pungent article:

"We avail ourselves of the aid of the Filipinos to expel the Spaniards under, at least, an implied agreement that we would aid them in securing their independence, and the first thing they know afterward is a proclamation from the president that he had bought the sovereignty and control of their territory from the expelled oppressor and proposes to exercise it. Their resistance—that is, supposing they began the attack, the evidence of which is by no means beyond question—is said to be unprovoked. Doubtless George III and Lord North regarded Lexington and Bunker Hill as attacks on the British power without provocation or cause."

Another section of the proclamation runs as follows:

"Reforms in all departments of the government, all branches of the public service and all corporations closely touching the common life of the people will be undertaken without delay and effected conformably with right and justice in a way to satisfy the well-founded demands and the highest sentiments and aspirations of the people."

—upon which Mr. Bradford makes these comments:

"And this at a time when Congress has left the newly acquired Hawaii without any settled government of any kind, and when delegates from Alaska imploring security for life and property in their government, and provision for the ordinary needs of civil administration, find themselves talking to deaf ears. Suppose the Filipinos submit, what guarantee is offered them for these golden promises and who is to accomplish these blessed results, which, if secured to the Filipinos, might well excite envy in the breasts of the people of the United States? Is it the commission, whose power, so far as appears, is wholly restricted to making promises? Is it the military leaders, steeped to the lips in blood and surrounded by the desolation they have made? Is it the president, who, if he can establish military government, has no power for any other—unless he calls Congress together—before next December? Is it Congress, with its record of an extra session in 1897? Is there, in short, in the world a government which ever comes up to the rose-colored picture calmly held up to the simple natives as a (prospective) consideration for submission to negro slavery, tempered only by the discretion and magnanimity of the president of the United States?"

Quoting, still further, another section of the hypocritical proclamation, viz:

"The collection and application of all taxes and other revenues will be placed upon a sound, economical basis, and the public funds, raised justly and collected honestly, will be applied only to defray the regular and proper expenses incurred by and for the establishment and maintenance of the Philippine government, and such general improvements as the public interests may demand. Local funds collected will be used for local purposes and not to be devoted to other ends. With such prudent and honest fiscal administration it is belived that the needs of the government will in a short time, become compatible with a considerable reduction in taxation."

—Mr. Bradford exclaims: "Ah! If somebody could only guarantee a government of that kind to the people of this country!"

He concludes his quotations with section 5 of the proclamation: "There shall be guaranteed to the Philippine people an honest and effective civil service, in which, to the fullest extent to which it is practical, natives shall be employed,"—and upon this makes this appropriate comment:

"If any suspicious native is doubtful about the application of this he is requested to watch the operations of the newly established civil service bureau."

"There is hardly a line of the proclamation," says our Boston patriot in conclusion, "which is not open to similar comments, but the examples will suffice. I will only add one exclamation, which in spite of the sycophancy of the English press in the last nine months has been wrung from one paper by the management of the war department: 'If the American people will submit to this they may find that the White House will prove the sepulchre of the nation's honor.'"

A veritable whited sepulchre!

It is useful, in connection with the fair promises of the president's proclamation concerning local government for the Filipinos and the application of local taxes to the support of the local governments, to consider what will be the cost of the army which the best authorities agree must be maintained by us in the twelve hundred islands of the Philippine archipelago in order to maintain our supremacy. 75,000 men is considered the least number which will suffice for the purpose. It costs an average of $1,000 per annum to maintain and equip each of our regulars. That foots up $75,000,000 for the army of 75,000 men, to which must be added a third more to cover the 25 per cent of added pay for "colonial service" and the cost of constant transportation of supplies and the transportation back and forth of troops over the ten or twelve thousand miles that separates us from the field of operations. That brings the total to $100,000,000; against which it is estimated that our merchants (that is, the small body who are on the "inside" or "ground floor" of the business) may secure a profit of $1,500,000, at the outside, from the trade of the islands.

The English make the people of India pay for the civil and military establishment which they maintain there. Who is to pay the $98,500,000 which this nation will annually be out of pocket for a like establishment in the Philippines? It is to be remembered that India has thirty times the population of the Philippines. Granting that the latter could pay taxes in proportion to the amount paid by India, we should have the trifling contribution of one thirtieth of $98,500,000 to offset the cost of our occupation, or $3,300,000—leaving, in round numbers, $95,000,000 of additional taxes for the people of the United States to bear.

As the Dingley tariff brings us into debt every year to the extent of some fifty millions, it will be seen that the addition of near a hundred millions more will soon bring us to the condition of the debt ridden nations of continental Europe. When that time arrives, the people will forget the political cause of their woes in the mere struggle for existence. That is what history tells us; and there is no relief from such a condition except in revolution.

That the White House may not prove "the sepulchre of the nation's honor," the people must next year put an occupant there whose political make up is the very antipodes of that of the present one.

Mr. Bryan Replies to Belmont.

A Lincoln, Nebraska, telegram of the 9th says:

Hon. W. J. Bryan today mailed his answer to the last letter received from Hon. Perry Belmont several weeks ago. The correspondence thus far has dealt largely with the rival Jefferson dinners to be held in New York, but Mr. Bryan ignores that matter and devotes his attention to the differences existing between himself and Mr. Belmont on questions of democratic party policy.

"Upon my return to Lincoln I found your letter containing the original letter and postscript given to the press some days before. I cannot find anything in my letter to which you can consistently object.

"You began your speech in Madison Square Garden on August 8, 1896, by saying it was time for plain speaking, and proceeded to accuse the Chicago convention of a 'betrayal' of the democratic party. In your Brooklyn speech on September 15, 1896, you spoke of the Chicago platform as 'the strange doctrines born in Chicago of a coalition between the unthinking element of the old party and the socialists who masquerade as populists.'

"It seems that in using the words 'betrayal' and 'masquerading' I unconsciously fell into the style which you employed in 1896, but I did not reflect upon the intelligence of the gold standard advocates by characterizing them as an 'unthinking element.'

THE RIGHT TO DEFINE DEMOCRACY.

"You ask, first, that I point out wherein your utterances are 'unpatriotic, undemocratic, un American and in conflict with the democratic creed as set forth in Jefferson's first inaugural address.' We have no accepted standard by which to determine whether a given opinion is patriotic or American, but we have means of determining whether an opinion is democratic and in accord with the teachings of Jefferson. I presume you use the word democratic in the party sense, otherwise that term would be as difficult to define as patriotic or American.

"The right to determine what is democratic in a party sense belongs to the democratic party. The Chicago convention was more purely representative than any other convention held in recent years because the rank and file of the party spoke on public questions through instructed delegates. The Chicago platform is the latest authoritative definition of democracy as applied to existing conditions.

JEFFERSON FAVORED DOUBLE STANDARD.

"Jefferson favored the double standard as against the single gold standard, and during his administration our nation had the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the legal ratio of 15 to 1. The ratio was changed to 16 to 1 during Jackson's administration.

The Chicago platform pronounced against the gold standard and in favor of the return to the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation. As a delegate to the Chicago convention you voted for a minority report which declared against independent free coinage on the ground that it would not only imperil our finances, but would retard or entirely prevent international bimetallism, to which the effort of the government should be steadily directed. As a delegate to the Indianapolis convention two months later you supported a platform which declared in favor of the gold standard without any declaration in favor of international bimetallism. You may be able to explain why the minority rejected at Indianapolis the plank for which it fought at Chicago.

"Your speeches abound in expressions of confidence in the gold standard, your correspondence with Mr. Warner sets forth your opposition to the income tax and a newspaper item quoted in your book gives you credit for drafting that portion of the Indianapolis platform which related to the retirement of the greenbacks and the substitution of bank currency.

EMPLOYES WERE NOT FRIGHTENED.

"Your prophecy that a 'law to prevent wage earners and salary earners from demanding and securing payment in gold dollars would not be a winning issue' evinces a tender solicitude for the laboring man. I might suggest that bimetallism alarms you more than it does the wage earners. It was not the employes who were frightened at the spectre of free silver in 1896; neither did the laboring men share your desire to add to the privileges of the banks."

Mr. Bryan quotes a resolution adopted on December 20, 1897, by the Federation of Labor, declaring opposition to the Gage bill to fix gold as the standard, and concludes his letter by saying:

"I am not willing to believe that you are more interested in the laboring men than they are in themselves, or that you know better than they what is good for them."

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Wholesale Suicides in Paris.

By cable to the Observer.

Paris, April 10.—Seventeen suicides were reported to the police yesterday, nearly all due to poverty. Saturday was quarter day and many victims were unable to meet the demands of landlords and suicided in desperation.

Riot at Pana.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Pana, Ill., April 10th.—There was a riot on Locust street this morning between deputies, and negroes and white miners. The shooting still continued at 11 o'clock. One white miner has been killed and several other persons injured.

To Represent the United States.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Washington, April 10.—The President has elected Bartlett Tripp, of South Dakota, ex minister to Austria, as United States representative on the Samoan joint commission.

To Be Made Second Lieutenants for Bravery.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Washington, April 10.—The President authorizes Gen. Otis to select one non commissioned officer of each command which participated in the recent fighting on the line of railways conspicuous for gallantry. The men thus selected, fourteen in number, will be appointed Second Lieutenants in the regular army.

Confirmation of the Report of the Capture of Santa Cruz.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Washington, April 10.—Gen. Otis cables confirmation of the capture of Santa Cruz. He says Gen. Lawton is pursuing westward. The War Department officers made no secret of the fact that a large part of the dispatch was withheld from publication. The impression prevails that the part suppressed refers to the plan of attack and not events that have already occurred.

"Take One Hundred Thousand Men to Conquer Filipinos" Volunteers Want to Return Home—"Didn't Enlist to Fight Niggers."

By cable to the Observer

Manila, April 7, via Hong Kong, April 10.—Although hundreds of Filipinos are daily returning to their homes, desirous of resuming peaceful pursuits, and though the proclamation has given an impetus to the movement, one of the foremost American Generals said recently: "We will see one hundred thousand soldiers in the Philipines before the Americans control the Islands." The majority of the army, in his opinion, generally consider great reinforcements necessary, there not being sufficient troops in the archipelago to make the conquest of the Island of Luzon and hold the ports occupied. A majority of the United States volunteers are eager to return home, many saying that they did'nt enlist to fight niggers. The Spanish system of defending Manila by blockhouses may be adopted during the rainy season, as it requires fewer men than trench defences and lessens the chances of sickness.

Lawton Captures Santa Cruis—Taken After Fierce Fighting.

By cable to the Observer.

Manila, April 10.—General Lawton's division captured Santa Cruis after a fierce battle. Sixty eight Filipinos were found dead on the field and forty wounded were captured. Our loss was one killed and six wounded. The Americans captured many prisoners, two cannon and hundreds of rifles. Lawton began to advance soon after the men landed from the boats in which they crossed the Bay. The troops were formed in line of battle and bivouacked for the night sleeping on their arms. The advance was commenced at daybreak and there was fighting soon at the outposts around Santa Cruis. These were driven with a rush after a sharp exchange of shots, and Lawton pressed on to rout the main force entrenched about the city. Every step was hotly contested, but the men urged on with resistless energy. The Filipinos made a desperate stand in the trenches. The battle waged furiously until a part of the commanded succeeded in turning the flank of the enemy, then the Filipinos fled in disorder. The flying natives were pursued through the streets of Santa Cruis. Fighting ceased only when the city was cleaned of insurgents. Strong guards are posted in every quarter of the city armed to the teeth.

Want Only Independence.

By cable to the Observer.

London, April 11.—Agoncillo has written to the associated press, stating that it is absolutely false that Aguinaldo is willing to accept an autonomist system of government similar to that of India. The Filipinos and their government want only ideal and absolutely independent government as the only source of general welfare.

The Raleigh Will Reach New York on the Fifteenth.

By telegraph to the Observer.

New York, April 11.—Mayor Van Wyck, this morning, received a dispatch from Capt. Crowninghield of the Navigation Bureau stating that the Raleigh was ordered yesterday to reach New York on the morning of the fifteenth.

More Troops for Manila.

By telegraph to the Observer.

New York, April 11th.—More troops are being moved to the Phillippines. Battery M, Sixth Artillery, boarded the West Shore train at Weehawken this morning enroute west thence to Manila.

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In regard to the above I note that the Fayetteville Academy was in place of the Seminary chartered in 1799.

The euphonious names of Flea Hill and Tick Creek were attached to literary institutions at the same session of the General Assembly. Rather in contradiction to the habits of the animals thus honored, the Flea kept its place and the Tick was chased away.

The first teacher in Fayetteville, known, was in 1791, the Rev. David, Ker, an emigrant from North Ireland. He was also in charge of the Presbyterian congregation, receiving for the school $400, and the same as preacher. In 1795, as the first "Preaching Professor" in the University of North Carolina, his chair being that of "the Humanities," he received the first students of that institution. Here he became latitudinarian in his religious views, lost his place, studied law and was appointed by Jefferson, through the influence of Senator Stone, marshal, and then judge of the Mississippi territory. He died in 1810.

The second teacher was Rev. John Robinson, D. D., entering on his duties in 1801 at a salary of $1,000. He found them too much for his strength, and after a year was succeeded by Rev. Andrew Flinn, D. D., later a master of the University Grammar School. In 1805 he resigned, and afterwards was pastor of a church in Charleston. His successor was Rev. Dr. John Robinson, a second time, remaining three years and going back to Poplar Tent. In 1808 Rev. William Leftwich Turner was in charge resigning in 1813.

All these teachers were zealous and efficient, especially Drs. Flinn and Robinson.

It is probable that the succeeding Presbyterian preachers, viz. Jesse H. Turner, William D. Snodgrass, R. H. Morrison, James E. Hamner, Josiah Kilpatrick, Henry A. Roland, James W. Douglas, were likewise teachers of the academy, but Foote does not so state.

The Fayetteville Academy building was on a lot adjoining that of the Episcopal Church. Both were burned in the "great fire of 1831," and the Academy lot was sold to private parties. Miss Mabel Bingham was one of the teachers, and after the burning had a prosperous school for small girls for many years. After 1831 the schools were mainly denominational. The Episcopalians started the Ravenscroft School on Ramsey street, with Charles Stuart as principal. It was for several years very successful, attracting pupils from abroad, especially from Wilmington. Stuart was a vigorous wielder of the switch and chewer of tobacco. On his removal to his former residence, Virginia, the school passed away.

The Donaldson Academy was started in 1832 under control of the Presbyterians, on Hay Mount. The rivalry between the two schools was great, the favorite mode of showing it by the pupils being ducking one another in the swimming hole in Cross Creek. This academy was endowed largely by the Donaldson family, one of whom, Robert Donaldson, settled at Hyde Park, on the Hudson, and bequeathed the bulk of his fortune to the University of North Carolina, which did not take effect because the will was not executed as required by the laws of New York. The Principal was an eminent teacher, Rev. Simeon Colton, D. D. Being accused before the Presbytery of heresy, on account of his opinion as to the permissibility of marrying sisters of deceased wives, the pupils attended the trial in a body and showed their interest by noisy clamor. After the trial, Dr. Colton removed to Harnett county. He was learned in many ways—so well versed in analytical chemistry as to be called as an expert in a celebrated poisoning case.

Among the successors in the superintendency of the Donaldson Academy were Rev. Daniel Johnson, of Robeson, and —— Ely, of Massachusetts.

The last Principal who taught and sent men to college from this academy before it was burnt was Alexander Graham, afterwards superintendent of the graded school of Fayetteville, and now of those of Charlotte. He had 505 pupils in a co operative school, not supported by city taxes, the largest ever held in the academy—the largest of that kind in the State. It was remarkable, perhaps unique, in furnishing all school books free of charge.

The Fayetteville Female Seminary was begun in 1854; Rev. W. E. Pell, of the Methodist Church, afterwards editor, with Maj. Seaton Gales, of the Raleigh Sentinel, being the first Principal. Mr. William E. Blake, a brilliant graduate of the University, succeeded him, and then came Mr. Thomas Hooper. The institution did not exist longer than the beginning of the Civil War.

[Dr. Battle acknowledges assistance from the North Carolina Gazette, and, for the Cumberland sketch, from Judge Buxton and Professor Graham. We may note that there were, of course, schools before the chartered Seminary in 1799. In the Craven sketch, for example, it is recorded that Thomas Tomlinson, "the second professional teacher in the State," had "taught in Fayetteville" before beginning the "Newbern Academy" in 1762.—OBSERVER.]

Bryan and Belmont

Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

All the laws of war and self defense justify Mr. Bryan and the Democratic party in their attitude toward Mr. Perry Belmont and his associates. Nay, the attitude of these dissenting gentlemen has forced Mr. Bryan and the Democracy to disavow and repudiate them. All intelligent and ingenuous persons are compelled to acknowledge this; and so far from condemning and abusing Mr. Bryan, occupying the relation he does to the Democratic party, for what he has done, they must agree, that, if he had accepted the hospitality of Belmont, Croker & Co., in view of the facts, past, recent and present, and recognized them as brother Democrats, in full fellowship, he would have exhibited culpable and criminal indifference and negligence in his duty to himself, his political cause and party, that would have justly exposed him to the censure and distrust of the best of 6 500,000 men who voted for him in 1896

Let what may be said of it, that is the true gist of the matter: That he did right, under all civilized laws; that, in his position, it was his duty to do it; and that Messrs. Belmont, Croker & Co. forced him to do it by spreading a net to entrap him.

On the Political Picket Line.

Atlanta Constitution.

A number of our contemporaries, republicans and representatives of the driftwood cast ashore by the ten cent gold party organized by the promoters of Clevelandism, have a new bone of hope to gnaw on. They say that the election of Carter Harrison is not only a rebuke of Mr. Bryan and the democratic party, but is to be marked down on the lists of Mr. Croker's victories.

This sort of thing shows that the political sharpshooters on the republican line have run short of ammunition and are now engaged in firing blank cartridges. It is a profitless pastime that is always indulged in the year before the big guns are unlimbered. Carter Harrison is supposed to be a democrat, and his reelection has the significance of a democratic victory, but it is not a partisan victory by any means. Mr. Harrison was elected by a combination of those voters, republican and democratic, who relish the manly stand he has taken in opposition to the franchise steal contemplated by the Yerkes gang. His party politics had little to do with his election, though it is to be supposed that if he had not been a democrat and an honest man to boot he would have surrendered long ago to the power and influence of the combination which owns the street car lines in Chicago.

Mr. Harrison's election was just as much a victory for Croker as Wat Hardin's victory in Kentucky is a defeat of Bryan.

Cumberland's New Industrial Development.

In the last issue of the American Wool and Cotton Reporter, we find the following which will interest our readers.

New spoolers and drawing frames are to be added to the mill at Manchester, N. C. The same mill contemplates other additions in the near future, it is stated.

The Holt Williamson mill at Fayetteville, N. C., will double its capacity, which means the addition of 5,000 spindles. The same company will operate a new mill which is now in course of construction at Fayetteville, work having begun on it recently. Still another mill is in prospect at the same town.

[The mill will not be doubled in capacity, but only three new machines are being added. OBS.]

At Charleston, W. Va., last week, a charter was granted to the "Cumberland cotton mills, of Cumberland, N. C." This is the mill, the buildings of which are located in Cumberland county, N. C., near Fayetteville, but have not been operated for some time. I learn today, writes the "Reporter's" Carolina correspondent, that the buildings are to be repaired and added to and equipped with new machinery throughout by Northern capitalists. C. H. Reynolds, one of the investors interested in the new company, is in Fayetteville, with several of his associates, making all the arrangements to this end. The mill will be practically a new one in every respect, even in name, I hear, though the name of the new company has not yet been announced.

The Coming National Census Taking.

North Carolina has been divided up into nine census districts for the taking of the census of 1900.

Cumberland is in the Fourth District, which is as follows: Robeson, Richmond, Cumberland, Moore, Nash, Harnett, Johnston, Chatham and Wake

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With the idea that any preparation your druggist may put up and try to sell you will purify your blood like Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine has a reputation—it has earned its record. It is prepared under the personal supervision of educated pharmacists who know the nature, quality and medicinal effect of all the ingredients used. Hood's Sarsaparilla absolutely cures all forms of blood disease when other medicines fail to do any good. It is the World's great Spring Medicine and the One True Blood Purifier.

"A word to the wise is sufficient" and a word from the wise should be sufficient, but you ask, who are the wise? Those who know. The oft repeated experiences of trustworthy persons may be taken for knowledge. Mr. W. M. Terry says Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives better satisfaction than any other in the market. He has been in the drug business at Silton, Ky., for twelve years; has sold hundreds of bottles of this remedy and nearly all other cough medicines manufactured, which shows conclusively that Chamberlain's is the most satisfactory to the people, and is the best. For sale by B. E. Sedberry & Sons.

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Nearly everybody you meet will regard it as a kind of insult to be asked if they have weak lungs. All seem to have a solid faith in the soundness of their own breathing machine. In cases of trouble they will admit there is a "heavy cold," "a touch of bronchitis," or even "a spell of asthma," but as to weak or unsound lungs, never, NEVER. Even the poor consumptive, who scarcely speaks without coughing, whose cheeks are wasted, hollow and bear the hectic flush of doom, will assure you with glistening eyes that his cold is on the mend and he will be all right when the weather changes.

It is simply terrible to think how far we may be guilty by our indifference to the lung troubles of those near and dear to us. It is also a sad thought that we may hug a delusion as to our own health that we only get rid of when life itself must pay the forfeit.

Nobody can afford to think lightly of lung troubles. Nobody can afford to be mistaken about their possible dangers. Nobody can afford to neglect them, or "let them wear out," or "get better in the spring," or any other tomfoolery that leads only to wreck and ruin. Lung troubles don't move backward. Weak lungs don't grow strong by themselves—you must heal them and strengthen them, and rid them of the very earliest germs of disease, or you are simply committing a form of suicide. Either you must cure your lung troubles or THEY WILL KILL YOU. That's the whole situation in a nutshell.

Never was there a cure for lung troubles equal to the newly-discovered Dr. Slocum treatment. This forms a system of Four Remedies that are used simultaneously and supplement each other's curative action. It cures weak lungs, bronchitis, asthma, coughs, consumption and every other ailment of the pulmonary region. It destroys every germ that can affect the respiratory system, and even in advanced stages of lung trouble positively arrests the tubercular growth, while it also builds up the patient so that his system is enabled to throw off scrofula, rheumatism, catarrh, and other wastng diseases.

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From Saturday's Daily.

"Better than Cotton."

Letters are being received in this city every day from prominent tobacco men throughout the State inquiring if it will be worth the while to send buyers to this market, as they learn through the papers, that Cumberland farmers are planting tobacco. In answer to these inquiries, we can state that a great number of Cumberland farmers are planting tobacco this year, not on a large scale, however, one barn being the usual crop, though there are a number who have planted tobacco before who will have a two or three barn crop. We also learn that the building of a ware house is assured.

The Wilmington Star of yesterday says:

The farmers of Cumberland county are showing level heads in giving more attention to diversified farming and less to cotton. It seems that some of them have also been successfully experimenting with new crops for that section, as we learn from the Fayetteville Observer.

(Here is quoted the OBSERVER'S article on rice, tobacco and sugar cane culture.)

The Star goes on to say:

Upland rice is being pretty extensively cultivated in this State now, and the success with which it has met will doubtless result in extending the cultivation. There is no danger of overstocking that market.

The cultivation of the Louisiana sugar cane seems to be a new thing, but as the Chinese cane has been long and somewhat extensively cultivated in some parts of the State we see no reason why the Louisiana cane should not succeed as well, while its yield is much better.

There are a great many things that might be successfully and profitably grown in North Carolina if attention were turned in that direction, things, too, for which there is always a demand and a paying market.

"Spring Unlocks The Flowers

To Paint the Laughing Soil."

And not even Nature would allow the flowers to grow and blossom to perfection without good soil. Now Nature and people are much alike; the former must have sunshine, latter must have pure blood in order to have perfect health.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures blood troubles of all sorts. It is to the human system what sunshine is to Nature—the destroyer of disease germs. It never disappoints.

Poor Blood.—"The doctor said there were not seven drops of good blood in my body. Hood's Sarsaparilla built me up and made me strong and well." SUSIE E. BROWN, 16 Astor Hill, Lynn, Mass.

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The Atlantic Coast Line is extending its double track from near the C. F. & Y. V. crossing at the junction on Rowan street to a point near the Cape Fear river for the purpose of doing all its freight business at the old C. F. & Y. V. depot, and the entire passenger business of the Wilmington and Weldon and the Atlantic and Yadkin railroads at the Wilmington and Weldon depot.

The A. C. L. this morning obtained from the city authorities the necessary authority to make its extensions across the streets north of the depots. We also learn that the A. C. L. Company will build side tracks to the proposed silk mills and to the Tolar Hart Holt mill.

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For biliousness, constipation and appendicitis.

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Land Sale For Taxes.

On Monday, the 1st. dav of May, I will expose to Public Auction Sale at the Court House door in Fayetteville, N. C., the following lands to satisfy the State and County and Stock Law fence taxes and cost for 1898.

McD. GEDDIE, Sheriff,
Cumberland County.

CROSS CREEK.

Allen Anthony imp'd, Cambellton, 1 lot, $1 90
Armstrong Charles, 8½ acres, McIntyre lot, 6 34
Atkins, Joe Mrs., res., Person st., 1 lot, 6 02
Alston Charity, res., Moore st., 1 lot, 6 85
Bain Richard, imp'd. North st., 1 lot, 4 28
Beebe Edward, imp'd. Orange st., 1 lot. 3 00
Brevard Dolly, res., Gillespie st., 1 lot, 3 00
Bryant David, vacant lot, Wil. road, 1 lot, 1 35
Britt Ed res., Campbellton, 1 lot, 7 44
Buckhannon Wm., McIver st., 1 lot, 3 00
Bray Kate Mrs., imp'd. Frink Alley, 1 lot, 1 90
Chavers Judah, res., Ramsey st., 1 lot, 2 45
Cole Mary E, vacant near A J Henderson, 1 lot, 1 90
Cox Esther, res. Lamon street, 1 lot, 3 55
Cotton Fanny, imp'd., Holmes street, 1 lot, 2 45
Culbreth Hugh, res., Mumford st., 1 lot, 4 38
Deal James R, res., North st.. 1 lot, 3 00
Deal Maria, res., North st., 1 lot, 1 90
Dunn Flora, 10 acres, join Tokay, 1 90
Elliott Beck, 5½ acres, join Tokay, 1 62
Elliott, Wm. res., Winslow street, 1 lot, 1 92
Evans Daniel, imp'd., Moore street, 1 lot, 4 10
Evans Susan, res., Hillsboro st., 1 lot, 2 45
Fairley Eliza Mrs., imp'd., Mechanic st., 1 lot, 3 55
Fuller George W, res., C street, 1 lot, 3 76
Fuller Wm., res., Person street, 1 lot, 3 76
Galloway G H, vacant, Chancy st., 1 lot, 1 90
Gee Henry, res., Frink Alley, 1 lot, 3 82
Gill, Wm., vacant, McIver and Robinson street, 1 lot, 3 20
Graham Francis, res., Cool Spring st., 1 lot, 5 31
Hawley Luther, 1 lot, 4 41
Hogans Chas., res., Old st., 1 lot, 2 45
Henderson J B, imp'd., Chatham st , 1 lot, 8 82
Hill George, res., Murchison road, 2 45
House T B Rev., res., Mechanic street, 1 lot, 2 45
Hargrove, Wm., 4 acres, near Cross Creek, 2 45
Jeffers David res.. Broad street, 1 lot, 2 45
Johnson A A, res., Arsenal lot, 5 58
Jordan T J Mrs, res., Haymount, 6 85
Jordan P J Rev., imp'd., Blount street 1 lot, 4 65
Lenier Ben, res., Frink Alley, 1 lot, 5 79
Lock Hattie J, imp'd., Mumford street, 1 lot. 6 30
Lee Harry, res., Campbellton, 1 lot, 1 90
Mainor J J imp'd., Worth street, 1 lot, 3 55
Mitchell, Henry, res., Mechanic street, 1 lot, 4 10
Mitchell, Susan A Mrs., res., Haymount, 3 82
Moore Caroline, vacant, King st., 1 lot, 1 35
Moore Jerry, res., Chatham street, 1 lot, 1 96
Mooney, B H, imp'd., Bass street, 1 lot, 4 85
Murchison Isaac D, res.. Hillsboro st., 1 lot, 4 65
McKethan Sam W, res., Orange street, 1 lot, 1 90
McRae Mary, imp'd. Water st., 1 lot, 1 90
Nash Martha, 2 acres, George McMillan lots, 1 90
Nash Levy, 2 acres, Worth land, 1 90
Neill Lucinda, vacant, Broad st., 1 lot, 1 91
Orrell R M Mrs., res., Russell st., 1 lot, 9 90
Perry Dallas, res., Ramsey st., 1 lot, 16 58
Perry, Catherine, imp'd., Mumford st., 1 lot, 9 60
Poe Abby, 2 acres, Worth land, 1 90
Phillips, H C, res.. Frink Alley, 1 lot, 2 45
Plummer Caroline, res , turnpike, 1 90
Raiford Z T, res-, Mumford st., 1 lot, 4 97
Rencher Annie, res., Gillespie st., 1 lot, 2 45
Richardson John W, vacant, Cumberland street, 1 lot, 3 86
Robinson Alfred A, res., Moore st., 1 lot, 3 00
Shaw George, imp'd., Lone Alley, 1 lot, 2 45
Smith Jas. C, imp'd., Rowan st., 1 lot, 7 40
Smith J Ed, imp'd., Blount street, 1 lot, 7 42
Smith Wright, 10 acres, 4 14
Strickland J M (shops) Person st., 1 lot, 1 35
Star Nelson, res., Ramsey street 1 lot, 2 45
Stevens Sunday, 2 acres, Worth land, 1 90
Stevens Henderson, 4 acres, res., McIntyre lot, 3 86
Stewart Mary, Harrington Hill, 2 45
Stewart Elisha, res., Ramsey st., 1 lot, 2 74
Stewart Sherwood, 10 acres, McIntyre land, 4 14
Terry Rose, res, Barn Hill, 3 00
Thornton A G, vacant, Lamon st., 1 lot, 3 55
Tyler Hannah, res., Hill, 1 90
Underwood A E Mrs., Mile Branch, 1 35
Watson L R Mrs., vacant, Cool Spring street, 1 lot, 3 00
Welsh J W Mrs., vacant, Bowling Alley, 1 lot, 11 25
White W H, vacant, Robeson street, 4 14
Williams Harrison, res., Hillsboro st., 1 lot, 3 00
Williams Edward P, vacant, Russell st., 1 lot, 3 59
Williams Winston A, res., Hillsboro st., 1 lot, 6 34
Williams Rebecca, res., Wil. road, 1 lot, 3 38
Williams Sam H, imp'd., Frink Alley, 1 lot, 3 55
Williams Joe, res., Ramsey street, 1 lot, 5 24
Williams Wiley, res., Ramsey st., 1 lot, 5 20
Williams Sandy, 5½ acres, McIntyre land, 1 35
Weill Ella Mrs., vacant, Hay st., 1 lot, 6 35

UNLISTED—CROSS CREEK.

Branch V Mrs., res., Hillsboro street, 4 10
Barge Amelia, imp'd , Chatham street, 1 lot, 6 30
Barge Caledonia, vacant, Worth street, 1 90
Burton Margaret, res., Haymount, 3 00
Clegg Brice, res., Orange street, 1 lot, 5 25
Fuller Tempy, vacant, Person st., 1 lot, 2 24
Gilmore Primus, res., Cumberland st., 4 10
Hogans D H Mrs., res., Ramsey st., 1 lot, 6 30
Lane Francis estate, vacant, McIver st., 1 90
Leak Hattie Jane, McIntyre land, 3 00
Mazingo Beccy, imp'd., near Council Hall, 1 lot, 1 90
Oakman T, vacant, 1 lot, 1 90
O'Hanlon Estate, res., Haymount, 24 44
Surles Isaac, res., Broad street, 1 lot, 3 44
Turlington Beccy, imp'd., near river, 1 lot, 1 90
Waddell Lucy, res., Moore street 1 lot, 6 30
Bogans C. B., res., Robeson st., 1 lot, 3 55
Bullock H C, res., Orange street, 1 lot, 4 10
Beatty Chloe, Sanford land, 2 45
Benton Thos., ½ interest, Orange street, 1 lot, 5 75
Brown Alfred, res., Robeson st., 1 lot, 7 40
Baker Betsy, Worth land, 3 00
Benton Thos., imp'd., Campbellton, 1 lot, 3 00
Gardner Wm, res., Haymount, 3 00
Harrington Dolly, Harrington Hill, 3 00
Hill George, res., Wil. road, 1 lot, 8 58
Hatwood John, res.. Cool Spring street, 1 lot, 7 40
Hathcock Alice, imp'd., Russell street, 1 lot, 4 10
Knott Hatty Jane, 6½ acres. McIntyre land, 2 45
Leary Lewis, imp'd., near Hardie, 1 lot, 6 30
Page John. res., Wil. road, 1 lot, 3 00
Robeson Jas., imp'd., Robeson st.. 1 lot, 4 10
Simmons Henry L, res., Russell street, 1 lot, 6 30
Williams T H, imp'd., Ramsey street, 1 lot, 18 48
Williams Caledonia, vacant lot, 1 90
Williams E L, res., Ramsey st,, 1 lot, 4 10
Waddell, Wm., imp'd., Frink Alley, 1 lot, 5 20
West Caroline, imp'd.. Russell street, 1 lot, 2 45

CARVER'S CREEK.

Ammons J A, 57 acres, 3 86
Byrd Thos., Adm'r , 100 acres, res.. 10 70
Bryant H. Mrs., 800 acres, Old Walker, 9 60
Buie R. A., 150 acres, joins W, 4 22
Buie W J, 257 acres, res, 5 20
Bell M N Mrs, 25 acres, J Bell, 1 21
Bowden W J, agt Morgan est, 147 acres, 1 68
Bowden W J, agt Conly est, 60 acres, 1 46
Bowden W J, agt J W B est, 358 acres, 1 74
Carver John Sr, 88 acres, Cross Creek 1 89
Carver John, Jr, 356 acres, 3 11
Darden H C. 67 acres, Raiford Creek, 2 64
Fowler Robt, 600 acres. res, 7 95
Giles Jacob, 387 acres, res, 6 56
Hemingway M K' 70 acres joins West, 5 35
Hair S E Mrs, 35 acres joins Johnson, 1 62
Hair J J, 28 acres, res, 2 01
Handon Ed, 4 acres, res, 3 35
King W R. 90 acres, res, 4 50
King N J, 21 acres old field, 4 08
Norris Alex, 37½ acres, res, 2 85
Smith Richard. 100 acres, Whitehead, 1 98
Smith N M L, 360 acres, 2 78
Whitehead Robt, 100 acres, Whitehead est, 3 79
Whitehead Nancy, 100 acres, Whitehead est, 2 45

UNLISTED—CARVER'S CREEK.

Cavanaugh John, 100 acres, Carver's Creek. 1 90
Dunn Choe, 10 acres, res, 1 56
Evans Edmond, 75 acres, Buie land, 3 00
Green A C Miss, 8 acres, Strickland land, 5 20
Herring J E, 6 acres, Herring land, 1 12
Hunt Arabella, 71 acres, Gilmore land, 4 32
Murchison Thos, 4 acres, joins Perry, 1 02
McKay Peter, 47 acres, Elliott West est, 3 00
Perry Susan, 4 acres, joins Jno Husk. 3 00
Smith Lot, 49 acres, Brig land, 4 04
Smith Eliza, 10 acres, Carver Creek, 1 08
Williams David, 71 acres, Smokey Tavern, 1 90
Brandt L J, 365 acres, 4 76
Chashwell Noah, 15 acres, H A Hawley land, 1 46
Raynor S W, 32 acres, Culbreth land, 1 24

GRAY'S CREEK.

Black J S, 32 acres, Murphy, 1 52
Blossom & Turner, 57 acres, 2 05
Butler C T, 20 acres, Butler shops, 1 62
Breece G L. 5 acres, Jones land, 2 88
Byrne David, 10 acres, res, 3 59
Byrne Laura, 10 acres, res, 1 90
Cashwell J A, 54 acres, res, 4 38
Cashwell M E, 81 acres, res, 7 59
Canady D M & C F, 167 acres, McNeill land, 4 10
Carver J D, est, 460 acres, res, 36 44
Carrol J H, 63 acres, res, 2 49
Carrol A W, 20 acres, Carrol land, 1 34
Culbreth D E, 270 acres, 6 30
Devane Paten est, 30 acres, res, 1 90
Elmore J H, 45 acres, res, 2 45
Fisher Jno, 9 acres, res, 3 37
Hughs J S, 20 acres, res, 1 90
Johnson Charley and others, 21 acres, Allen Johnson, 1 62
McNeill J D, 126 acres, Boone land, 2 19
McArther Heirs, 78 acres, Old Place, 3 55
Raiford Lang, 90 acres, Gilmore land, 1 24
Stanley S H, 100 acres, res, 5 20
Stamps Preston Mrs, 75 acres, Hollingsworth land, 3 00
Smith N McL, 30 acres, Neill Devane land, 1 62
Thames Calvin, 65 acres, res, 2 86
Toomer Sam, 52½ acres, res. 2 70
Turlington W B, 124 acres, Willis Creek, 3 55

UNLISTED—GRAY'S CREEK.

Barnes Orin, 75 acres, res, 6 93
Baker Jas, 10 acres, res, 1 90
Carmon Caroline, 80 acres, res, 3 00
Burnett G W, 25 acres, res, 2 45
Carver W H, 19 acres, Roberts land, 3 00
Carver L J, 40 acres, Byrne land, 3 00
Dry Celia, 40 acres, Jas McNeill land, 3 00
Davis Graham, 6 acres, Willis Creek, 5 83
Jones Georgeanna, 26 acres, joins Nichols, 3 00
Nunlee Kate Mrs, 6 acres, res, 1 35
Williams G W, 220 acres McArther land, 20 16

PEARCE'S MILL.

Jones Kate F, ½ acre, near Fair Ground, 2 17
Ray Sarah E, 100 acres, joins Hobbs land, 1 90
Snipes Henry, 2 acres, Dark Branch, 3 34
Turner Samuel E, 140 acres, C F & Y V R R. 98
Williams D T. ½ acre, near F Ground 5 24
West Fanny, 2 acres, Dark Branch, 1 35

UNLISTED.

Benbow W C, 100 acres, Sandy River, 3 00
Hudison John, 4 acres, near J R Vann, 3 00
McKay Abby, 7 acres, Dark Branch, 1 06
McNeill Harriett, 50 acres, Sandy Run, 1 90

LITTLE RIVER.

Blue N S. 146 acres, McCraney land, 1 60
Johnson E McN, 165 acres, James Creek, 6 06
Johnson J A heirs, 376 acres, James Creek, 3 44
McMillan E & C, 43 acres, Little River, 1 02
McMillan M A & sister' 130 acres, Little River, 1 90
Priest Owen, 190 acres, Little River, 2 89
Smith W D & sister, 22½ acres, Crane's Creek, 1 02

UNLISTED.

Lane J R, 514, acres, Milk Creek, 3 00

QUEWHIFFLE.

Black N A, 385 acres, Nicholson creek, 6 81
Blacknall R & Son, 1,100 acres, Gum Swamp. 6 30
Brock D B, 52 acres, Old Field Branch, 4 47
Cameron W O, 125 acres, Mulatto road, 4 25
Clark A A C, agent for P D Co, 1074½ acres, 7 18
Monroe D C, 444 acres, 1 90
McLauchlin J W, 552 acres, McLeod land. 6 30
Petterson Jane, 82 acres, Rockfish creek, 1 90
Ray A L. 206 acres, Mill creek. 4 25
Ray L G & T D, 150 acres, Dry Branch, 2 17
Thomas S F, Mrs , 75 acres, Patterson place, 2 29

QUEWHIFFLE—UNLISTED.

McNeill, W A, 75 acres, Rockfish, 2 45

ROCKFISH.

Autry V B. 44 acres, residence, 6 67
Black J S, 220 acres, Murphy land. 11 80
Buie John Estate, 975 acres, Cumberland, 12 27
Barge P P. 37 acres, Bradshaw land, 2 45
Baldwin Estate, 9½ acres, part of Butler land, 1 21
Braxton R L, 150 acres, residence. 8 87
Calhoun J A, Estate, 68 acres, residence, 3 15
Calder Wm, 8 acres, Newton land, 1 25
Campbell, Martin, 4½ acres, residence, 3 59
Calhoun John A. 69 acres, Coal Camp, 4 93
Dixon Henry, 58 acres, residence, 3 70
Dixon Piler, 52 acres, Camden road, 4 00
Evans Mary Ann, 6½ acres, Fry land, 1 90
Garvin James, 1 acre, residence, 3 76
Hodge Allen, 119 acres, plank road, 4 40
Henderson W A, 4 acres, residence, 5 21
Jeffers David, ¾ acre, Nancy Davis, 1 35
Lucas Bailey, 32 acres, residence, 1 13
Murphy Frank. 13 acres, residence, 3 23
McNeill J H, 38 acres, residence, 4 35
McKinnon George, 10 acres, McNatt land, 3 32
McLeod Zylphia, 7 acres, R J Vaughn land, 1 05
McLeod Abigail, 106 acres, residence 3 55
McMillan Annie P, 482 acres. residence, 7 65
McArtan John, 75 acres, McNatt land, 1 62
Peppers Alfred, 37 acres, mill road, 6 70
Ross Jerry, 115 acres. Big Rockfish, 4 51
Smith McL, 83 acres, Davis land, 1 62
West L W. 24 acres, Shepard land, 4 38
Whitehead Archie, 117 acres, 3 00
Williams Anthony, 108 acres, Big Juniper, 2 17

ROCKFISH—UNLISTED.

Biggs, D W, 177 acres, residence, 27 20
Smith Sarah, 50 acres, joins Tolar, 1 90

SEVENTY FIRST.

Auston John, 40 acres, Puppy Creek, 3 70
Baker M A, 60 acres, Cain land, 2 23
Baker Hector, 25 acres, res, 3 68
Beatty Joanna, 24 acres, Farmer land, 2 12
Bernard Esther, 2 acres, Lutterloah land, 1 02
Bethea Roy, 6 acres, Bethea land, 1 90
Buie John est, 73 acres, part of res, 17 18
Culbreth D J, 33 acres, res, 1 35
Culbreth Virginia, 80 acres, Gates land, 1 35
Clark Neill est, 100 acres, Big Branch 1 90
Darroch Angus, 50 acres, Neill Shaw land, 1 90
Davis Laura, heirs, 1,020 acres, Puppy Creek, 6 30
Davis D R, 154 acres, McDuffie Creek, 6 62
Davis G G, 64 acres, res, 4 45
Farmer Evalina, 6 acres, res, 1 13
Gibson T L, 1,000 acres. Pritchard land, 6 30
Grimes S J Mrs, 50 acres, res, 1 50
Hodge Eliza J Mrs, 41 acres, Raspberry land, 2 45
Hoskins Lucy, 21 acres. Calvin land, 1 90
Howell Samuel, ¾ acre, McDuffie land, 3 10
Johnson Wm, 25 acres, res, 2 39
Jones Tom, 134 acres, res, 2 75
Jackson J A, 242½ acres. Chicken raod, 5 79
Johnson & Shaw, 365 acres, 1 35
Manly John est, 63 acres, John Manly place, 7 40
Monroe Mary A, 50 acres, Middle Creek. 1 70
Morrison Robt, 22 acres, R Vaughan land, 3 26
McDougald Margt Mrs, 110 acres, Beaver Creek, 2 71
McGill Malinda, 25 acres, res, 1 62
McGoughan J C Mrs, 450 acres, Little River, 10 23
McIntyre S J Mrs, 146½ acres, res, 3 55
McIver Ben est, 24 acres, Farmer res, 1 06
McIver J E, 28 acres, Ben McIver laud, 3 56
McKay A B, 24 acres, res, 3 81
McKay Robt A est, 10 acres, Big Branch 96
McKay Jno H est, 20 acres. Big Branch, 1 02
McKay Jas, 17 acres, Big Branch, 91
McLauchlin Alex, 10 acres, Big Branch. 1 03
McNeill Thos, 28 acres, res, 3 81
McPherson Pomelia. 6 acres, res, 1 13
McPherson Toby, 38 acres, res, 3 44
McQueen Frank, 39 acres, Martin McQueen land, 4 14
McArther Mary C, 40 acres, res, 1 90
McKay Thos A, 17 acres, res, 1 18
Ray Fanny, 11 acres, Buie land, 1 08
Ray N S, agt, 180 acres, Smith land 9 05
Ray Arthur, 40 acres, Sloan land, 3 26
Richardson Frank, 6 acres, res, 3 37
Shaw Harriett, 80 acres, Bones Creek, 1 98
Signal Geor, 45 acres, res, 2 64
Smith Fanny, 10 acres, res, 1 08
Strange Rat, 5 acres, res, 3 44
Thomas Wm, 70 acres, res, 1 74
Warwick Mary A Mrs, 290 acres, res, 8 50
Whitehead Henry est, 200 acres, Yadkin road, 5 20
Wright Chrissie, 12 acres, Wm Worwick land, 1 00
Wright W G, 35 acres, D N Newton land, 4 20

71ST.—UNLISTED.

Bruton J D, Exec'tr, 28 acres, Chicken road, 3 78
Bethune Isaac, 10 acres, residence, 2 71
Brown Della Mrs, 108 acres, residence, 10 73
Bain Martha, 107 acres, joins Goodman, 3 22
Best Gilbert. 53 acres, residence, 7 22
Cameron D C, 5 acres, residence, 5 94
Campbell, Jerry, 15 acres, residence, 5 83
Campbell D K, 160 acres residence, 8 72
Campbell Francis A, 100 acres, Stewart's creek, 3 37
Clark M D Mrs, 3 6-10 acres, residence. 16 52
Clark Neill, 185 acres, Daniel Darroch land, 16 28

Carver W H Mrs, 17 acres, joins Lutterloh, 1 90
Goodman, J C, 195 acres, residence, 10 04
Hall George H, 8 acres, Handon land, 1 35
Jackson A C, 10 acres, 1 46
Jacobs, Fanny, 11 acres, residence, 1 35
Johnson Henry, 55 acres, Chicken road, 3 98
Kelly C M, 1 acre, joins Currie, 5 61
Kelly J D, 15 acres, residence, 6 38
Lane Col J R, 1213 acres, 14 00
Lovitt Chester, 25 acres, Persimon ork, 3 55
Monroe Ann, 10 acres, residence, 1 35
Monroe Virgil, 52 acres, Sandy Ross, 2 23
Monroe General, 53 acres, residence, 7 24
Monroe W & A E Gilchrist, 45 acres, joins Black, 3 00
Monroe Rufus, 4 acres, Wooland, 1 13
Monroe Polly, 3 acres, Buckhead, 1 35
Murchison Hector, 30 acres, residence, 6 42
Manchester Lumber Co, 1617 acres, 126 99
McCaskill W P, 60 acres, residence 6 26
McKay Simon 30 acres, residence 2 38
McKay J B, 10 acres, Brooks place 1 90
McLean Jas A, 10 acres, Nickson land 1 59
McNeill Gaston, 2 acres, residence 5 50
McInnis Angus, 265 acres, Gum branch 6 63
McPhail Christian, 100 acres, Stewart's creek 5 00
McPhail Malcolm and sister, 50 acres, Stewart's creek 1 90
McDiarmid A K, 1200 acres, res. 84 81
McCall Jno R, 100 acres, McDuffie crk 9 60
O'Hanlon A J, Estate, 6 acres, Atkins place 1 90
Pearson Jane, 12 acres, residence 1 35
Parrish John, 469 acres, McPhail place 27 20
Ray Allen, Agt, 54 acres, Bone's creek 1 90
Raspberry Elizabeth, 120 acres, res. 6 74
Raiford E C, 55 acres, Ray land 3 22
Sandy J T, 50 acres, residence 8 58
Shaw E G B, 100 acres, joins McFadyen 5 20
Williams Jas, 42 acres, residence 2 14
Watson A H, 50 acres, Capel land 4 10
Waddell Elizabeth, 6 acres residence 2 45
Webster Mattie, 60 acres, Yellow brch 1 79

BLACK RIVER.

Bain M L A Miss, 20 acres, S Run 1 13
Bain D A Jr, 50 acres, Black River 4 14
Barefoot Ersula Miss, 62 acres, Mingo 3 44
Draughon G W, 50 acres Black River 3 96
Godwin Simeon, 128 acres, residence 5 42
Godwin L G, 14 acres, McDonald land 2 36
Godwin Cary, 72 acres, residence 3 54
Hodges J W, 94 acres, residence 6 53
Jackson Daniel, 50 acres, N G Smith land 3 28
McLeod R L, 11½ acres, Ingram land 3 37
Pope S A E Mrs, 94 acres, residence 4 10
Page Mary E, 10 acres, residence 1 13
Phillips R E Mrs, 70 acres, residence 6 94
Smith B F, 36 acres, Flat Branch, 3 00
Smith Wm T, 95 acres, residence 3 94
Smith Selah, 5 acres, J J Williams land 1 02
Smith D D, 22 acres, residence 1 46
Taylor I W, 45 acres, Flat Branch 3 45
Tew L H, 28 acres, Horsepen 5 16
Williams Stephen, 30 acres, residence 3 59
Williams Haywood, 20 acres, Wm Wade land 1 24
Wood S N Miss, 217 acres, residence 14 20
Wade J J, 110 acres Noris land 5 20
Warren R T, 81 acres, Mingo 5 79
Williford J C, 61 acres Bain and others 5 13
Williford A E Mrs, 121 acres residence 3 31
Avery H C, Estate, 50 acres, Blk River 2 45
Rosenthal Fannie Mrs, 60 acres, Graham road 4 10

BEAVER DAM.

Averitt W H, 130 acres, Harrison Creek, 1 56
Averitt Jas, agt, 53 acres, Harrison Creek, 2 32
Beard W J F, 50 acres, res, 3 67
Beard D M, agt, 79 acres, Turn Bull, 1 40
Beard D B, agt, 141 acres, Nancy Beard land, 1 86
Carter J T, 4 acres, res, 3 46
Hales Joel C, 103 acres, Turn Bull, 3 96
Hall H A, agt, 33 acres, Simmons, 1 06

CEDAR CREEK

Blackwell Rebecca, 40 acres, Hall land, 2 25
Bullard H S, 440 acres, Mrs. S A Bullard. 11 00
Bulla Jacob, 75 acres, res, 3 21
Cain Willey, 108 acres, res, 3 36
Gibson Thos L, 29 acres, J P Roberson land, 2 73
Hales G W, 2 acres, Tew land, 3 18
Hall J W, 26 acres, res, 2 58
Johnson C McK, 54 acres, res, 3 73
Melvin Henry, 207 acres, res, 4 62
McLaurin Harriett, 7½ acres, Cade land, 1 13
McNeill Nelson, 54 acres, res, 2 35
Owen J B, 27 acres, Godwin land, 2 44
Price H B Mrs, 68 acres, J P Roberson land, 5 20
Strickland Mary, 40 acres, res, 1 46
Thaggard C L, 6 acres, J C Johnson land, 1 90
Williams Abe, 75 acres, D Mathe's land, 2 45

UNLISTED.

Hall C McK Mrs, 70 acres, res, 7 20
Hall Eliza, 14½ acres, res, 1 35
Hall T C Mrs, 140 acres, res, 4 65
Johnson Dick & Sam Melvin, 3 9-10 acres, McNeill land, 1 02
Lewis E A, 70 acres, Jim Hall land, 1 35
Martin Ann Mrs 28 acres, res, 2 45
Melvin W E est, 10 acres, res, 1 68
Moore Sarah, 2 acres. Sand Hill, 84

FLEA HILL

Autry D E, 13 acres, J R Autry land, 1 48
Autry M L Mrs, 64 acres, old res, 5 38
Autry C M est, 125 acres, 2 29
Bain Eliza J, 35 acres, Jno Geddie land, 1 52
Bain L A Mrs, 12 acres, McMillan, 96
Godwin T I, 104 acres, res, 5 28
McMillan Simon, 15 acres, Hall place, 3 86

UNLISTED

Autry D A, 44 acres, Hall land, 6 36
Denning Spicey Mrs, 97 acres, Denning land, 4 80
Ross A L, 41 acres, res, 6 18
Sellers Emaline, 26 acres, land, 1 46
Womack Alex, 26 acres, res, 8 60

CROSS CREEK FENCE TAX—1898.

CROSS CREEK TOWNSHIP.

Armstrong Charles Wil. road, 1 lot 1 90
Ash Anderson, res, Worth land, 1 lot 1 10
Allen Robt, Estate, res Ramsey st, 1 lot 1 20
Baker Lula Miss, imp'd, Haymt, 1 lot 1 40
Barge P P, 37 acres, Wilmington road 1 30
Barney Evander, res, Worth st., 1 lot 1 05
Buckingham Wm, McIver street, 1 lot 1 20
Bain Edward, Worth street, 1 lot 1 00
Brown Alfred, Roberson street, 1 lot 1 40
Buxton Daniel, Roberson street, one lot 1 50
Burton Margaret, res, Roberson st., one lot 1 90
Burton Margaret, res., Hay street 1 00
Barney Evander, res, Worth st, one lot 1 05
Burke Haywood, 75 acres, Clark land 1 20
Benbow C W, 100 acres, vineyard 1 00
Bryant D A, 50 acres, Wil. road 1 60
Bryant L B, 20 acres, Wil. road 1 40
Brewington Joseph, 47 acres 1 60
Brewington Edward, 1½ acres near Fair Grounds 1 10
Brewington George Estate, 78 acres, Wilmington road 2 80
Barnes Green, near Fair Grounds 1 lot 1 10
Beatty Abram, near Fair Grounds 2 lots 1 00
Bryant Lonnon, near Fair Grounds 1 lot 1 20
Crump Jas, 42 acres, Lumberton road 1 00
Cashwell J B Mrs, 5 acres, Smith land 1 05
Cashwell Noah, 58 acres, McArthur land 1 37
Chavis Julia, Barney st, one lot 1 10
Carmon Caroline, 90 acres 1 10
Currie Kate Mrs., 2 acres, res, Murchison road 1 20
Dancy Laura, 4 acres, McIntyre land 1 10
Dobbin Monroe, 2 acres, Worth land 90
Dockery T B, Smith land 1 20
Dunn Flora, 10 acres, joins Tokay 1 00
Dunn A H, imp'd, Ramsey street 1 80
Dancy Louis 4 acres, McIntyre land 1 10
Dobbin Aaron, Branson creek, one lot, 1 00
Dunn Abram, Ramsey street, one lot 90
Davis Mary E Mrs, res near Fair Ground 1 20
Driver J A, 3 acres near mill pond 95
Dunn Cloe Estate, 10 acres near Tokay, 87
Dunn Robt, 67 acres, joins Tokay 90
Wm Dunn 16 acres, joins Tokay, 86
Driver Adeson, 24 acres, Murchison road 1 20
Elkins L A, res, Haymount, one lot 1 40
Elliott Hector Estate, 2 acres, joins Graham 90
Elliott Bevy, 2 acres, joins Perry 90
Elliott Gilbert, 4 acres, Dark Branch 84
Freeman Thos, 15 acres, plank road 1 00
Gilmore Primus, res Cumberland st, 1 10
Graddy J M, res, Carmon land 1 30
Graham Ed, 10 acres, residence 90
Gibson Green S, res, Haymount, one lot 2 60
Garden Wm, res Haymount, 1 lot, 1 00
Gill Wm, res, McIver st, 1 lot, 84
Graham W J, res, Haymount, 1 lot, 1 20
Groton John, res, Haymount, 1 10
Groton Oliver, Lilly land 90
Gibson Jes, 80 acres, Strickland land, 2 40
Harris J E, 6 acres, Horn place, 95
Herring Lucrecia, 4 acres, 86
Atwood John, 2 acres, res near F Ground, 1 20
Horn Jim, res Worth st, 1 lot, 90
Harrington Dilcy, res, Harrington Hill, 1 00
Hargrove Wm, 50 acres, mile bridge, 1 30
Hogan C B, res, Robeson st, 1 lot, 1 00
Hill Geo, res, Robeson st, 1 lot, 1 10
Hobb F A, Mason land, 1 20
Hollingsworth W J, res, Haymount, 1 lot, 1 40
Hargrove Wm, 4 acres near X Creek, 1 00
Ingram Mark, 3½ acres, Worth land, 1 00
Jackson E J, res, McIver st, 1 lot, 1 60
Johnson A A, res, Arsenell lot, 1 30
Jordan T J Mrs, res, Haymount, 1 lot, 1 80
Johnson Anna S, im'p, Robeson st, 1 lot, 1 30
Jones Kate F, res near F Ground, 1 lot, 1 05
Jefferys D, Wilmington road, 1 lot, 95
Knox Hettie Jane, 6½ acres, McIver st, 1 00
Legrand Anderson, 6 acres, Butler place, 1 32
Lane Francis Va, McIver st, 1 lot, 90
Leak Hattie Jane, 6½ acres, McIntrye land, 1 00
Lomax David, near Fair Ground, 1 lot, 1 10
Muse John Mrs, res, Haymount, 1 lot, 1 80
Mitchel S A Mrs, res, Haymount, 1 lot, 1 20
Morgan M Mrs, res, Harrington Hill 1 lot, 1 00
Michum John, ½ acre near F Ground, 1 10
Mitchel John, res, 1 lot, 1 10
Marsh Dr J H, adm, M Faulk, 75 acres, Wilmington road, 1 50
McKay Lizzie, res, Haymount, 1 lot, 1 00
McKay Lucretica, Ramsy st, 1 40
McKethan Adam, res, Robeson st, 1 10
McKethan Nathan, res, Wilm'gton road, 1 10
McAlister W H, 10 acres, Wilm'g'n road, 1 00
McNeill R W, 49 acres, 1 20
McLeod Abbigil, 106 acres, Sandy Run, 1 00
McAlister Nep, 10 acres, res, 1 00
Newberry Walter, Popular Springs, 1 lot, 1 00
O'hanlon est, res, Haymount, 2 65
Pridget Geo, 7 acres, Rose land, 90
Pickett W E, res, McIver st, 1 lot, 1 10
Phillips Allen Mrs, res, Haymount, 1 lot, 1 80
Phillips H C, Frink Alley, 1 lot, 1 10
Petteford Chas, 12 acres, res, Wil. road, 1 00
Perry Dallis, 26 acres, joins Brady, 1 00
Poe Abby, 2 acres, Worth land, 1 00
Perry Dug Est, 2 acres, Graham 90
Perry Robt, 2 acres, Graham 90
Peppers Alfred, 37 acres, Wil. road 1 20
Peppers N B, 44 acres, Wil. road 1 05
Rutherford N A Mrs, res, Haymount 1 10
Rodgers Jno A, 48 acres, Dark Branch 1 11
Rollins John 4½ acres, Wil. road 1 10
Richardson & Co, 81 acres 1 05
Smith M M Mrs, res, Haymount 1 40
Star Nelson, residence, Ramsey st, 1 lot 1 10
Stewart Mary, 7 acres, Harrington hill 1 10
Stewart Elijah, Ramsey street, one lot 1 10
Scurlock N Estate, res, McIver st 1 lot 1 00
Stewart Sherwood, 10 acres, McIntyre land 1 00
Smith J C, residence, Haymount 1 20
Smith Robt, 8 acres, McIntyre land 1 10
Stephen Hannah, 5 acres, Worth land 1 00
Stephens Priscilla, 4 acres, McIntyre land 95
Sawyer Patsy 5 acres, joins John McDuffie 90
Simmons Mary, 1½ acres, Wil. road 95
Simmons Lucy Mrs, near Fair Ground one lot 82
Simmons Henry L, Hillsboro st 1 lot 1 10
Sellars Jas W, 29 acres, Wil. road 2 60
Scurlock Aaron, 4 acres 95
Smith Dink, 250 acres, Sand Hill 1 00
Smith Daniel P, 50 acres, Sandy Run 1 00
Snipe Henry, 2 acres, Dark Branch, 85
Stewart Jno, 112 acres, 1 20
Smith Peter, 20 acres, res, 1 00
Terry Rose Mrs, res, Barn Hill, 1 20
Terry Wm, res Haymount, 1 10
Underwood A E Mrs, Mile branch, 1 lot, 90
Williams Betsey, res, Haymount, 1 10
Williams Sandy, 5½ acres, McIntyre land, 1 30
Williams Hannah, Haymount, 1 lot, 1 00
Williams Jeff R, res, Barn Hill, 1 10
Williams Geo M, res, Ramsey st, 1 lot, 1 40
Williams Wiley est, res, Ramsey st, 2 lots 1 60
Williams E L, res, Ramsey st, 1 lot, 1 10
Williams Annie, res, Ramsey st, 1 lot, 1 10
Williams Caledonia, vac, 1 lot, 90
White W H, res Robeson st, 1 lot, 1 10
Wade Lucy, res., Barn Hill 1 00
Williams Louis, Ramsey street, 1 lot 1 40
Walker Wm, 5 acres, Wil. road, 1 10
Walker Edward, 1½ acres, Wil. road 1 10
Williams D T, res., near Fair Grounds 1 20
Williams Laura E, res., Wil. road 1 00
West Fannie Mrs, 2 acres, Dark Branch 90
Wicker M E Mrs, 130 acres, Cross Creek 1 10
Wilkins Ed, 1½ acres, Carrol land 86
Young W H, 50 acres, Sandy Run 95

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s, Accounts, &c

s vs Nimock s Reversed.

nong the decisions handed down by
Supreme Court Tuesday was a re-
l of the judgment of the lower
t in the case of Brown vs. Nimocks.
verdict of the lower court declared
assignment invalid, the Supreme
t now declares it valid.

ell--Walston.

the Baptist parsonage Tuesday
ev. C. A. G. Thomas, Mr. W. H.
ell, the Person street merchant and
er, was united in marriage to Miss
s Walston, a lovely young lady,
erly of Scotland Neck, but lately
ding in Fayetteville.
May they live long and prosper."

Cottages on the Beach.

he Wilmington Messenger of Sat-
ay says:
r. S. H. Fishblate's attractive cot-
on Ocean View beach was sold
erday by Messrs. J. G. Wright &
to Mr. Walter L. Holt, of Fayette

r. Ed Holt, also of Fayetteville,
s should be Burlington. Obs] al-
y has a cottage on the beach, nav-
hased the Harriss cottage about
days ago.

hton McPherson in Front Rank.

the annual debate between the
sh. and Sophomore classes at David-
College, our young countyman,
Leighton McPherson, was among
first three, in fact, the contest was
close that the judges declared it a
and these three men are to speak it
Leighton was one of the F. M. A.'s
k orators and carried over three
d medals during his course there.
uccess to him in the coming con-

oper's Body Shipped Home.

heriff Burns received a telegram
day from the father of Cooper,
o was shot and killed here Thurs-
, asking that it be shipped to Flor-
e, the nearest convenient point to
home, and that the money to cover
enses had been deposited with the
graph operator there. Accordingly,
body was expressed on the 1 o'clock
C. L. train Saturday morning.
Cooper's father is said to be a well-to
farmer, living between Darlington
Florence.

Tragedy in the Cape Fear River.

A negro named Brewington was
wned in the Cape Fear river near
McSwain's, eleven miles from Fay-
eville, Tuesday afternoon. Brew-
gton, with Mr. Alex. McAllister, were
a bateau fishing when the boat
sized. Mr. McAllister swung on to
boat and floated down the river
til he was rescued. Brewington at-
mpted to swim ashore and did reach
limb, where he was aftewards found
nging on with a death grip. It is
ought that he died of fright.

r. W. M. Morgan and Mr. Edgar Cheek

Mr. W. M. Morgan has resigned his
osition as cashier of the Morehead
anking Company of Durham, and will
ortly come to Fayetteville to reside
d enter actively into business. The
urham correspondent of the Raleigh
ost contains the following:
Mr. W. M. Morgan has resigned as
ashier of the Morehead Banking Com
any, and Mr. E. C. Murray, who has
en teller of the bank for a number
f years, has been elected to succeed
im. Mr. T. Edgar Cheek has been
romoted from book-keeper to teller,
nd Mr. W. J. Corbett has been elected
succeed Mr. Cheek as book keeper.
Mr. Morgan retires that he may devote
is entire time to other business inter-
sts. The Morehead Banking Com-
any, which is the father of banks in
Durham, was established in the '70s by
he late Colonel Eugene Morehead. Mr.
Morgan was associated with Colonel
Morehead when the bank was organ
zed, and has acted in the capacity of
ashier from than time until the pres-
nt.

Important to the Veterans.

We are requested to say that there
will be a meeting of Camp 852, United
Confederate Veterans, at the City Hall
(Market House) on Monday next, April
17th, at 11 a. m. for the purpose of
making arrangements for going to the
great Reunion at Charleston on May
10th, 11th and 12th, and for the elec-
tion of delegates thereto.

We ought to carry at least 150 Vet-
erans to Charleston from this county.
It is near to us, and the Railway fare
is but 1 cent a mile. Now is the time
for many Veterans in Cumberland, who
are not members of the organization,
to join the Camp. The dues are but 20
cents for the first year and 10 or 15
cents thereafter.

It will be agreeable to many vete-
rans, we are sure, to know that General
Gordon has decided that every veteran
who carries his wife and daughters to
the Reunion can do so with the under-
standing that they are henceforth to be
treated as Matrons or Maids of Honor
The Railway fare for them is the same
—1 cent a mile.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c.
If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

A Painful Accident.

We regret to state that Mrs. J. B. Starr suffered a painful accident while jumping from a vehicle(the horse being frightened) in front of St. Phillips Church, Campbellton, Saturday, which will keep her at home for several weeks.

Day Wins.

A telegram from Raleigh Tuesday states that superintendent of the penitentiary, W. H. Day, the law partner of Judge MacRae, wins his case against the new directors, the Supreme Court deciding that the ousting of him was illegal.

Of Course Fayetteville is the Place.

A farmer from Johnston county, living between Dunn and Benson, sold a load of produce here Tuesday and carried away good news which he said he was going to spread. He had offers on the lot at Dunn and at Benson and the price he received in Fayetteville exceeded the highest of the two bids, $11.45. There is nothing strange in this, however, as Fayetteville is now the natural market of the Cape Fear section and in a few years is going to be the metropolis of North Carolina.

The Mayor Appoints the Committee to Southern Pines.

The Board of Trade, of Southern Pines, some time ago invited the Mayor to appoint a committee of the leading business men of Fayetteville to meet a conference of Northern Bankers and Investors in Southern Pines beginning April 18th, and to attend a banquet on the 20th.

In accordance with the instructions of a recent meeting of the Board of Aldermen, the Mayor has appointed the following committee, of which he himself is a member ex officio:

E. J. Hale, A. B. Williams, A. H. Slocomb, W. L. Holt, B. R. Huske, H. W. Lilly, Chas. Haigh, J. A. Pemberton, Sr., Dr. J. W. McNeill, Jno. A. Oates, F. R. Rose, J. D. McNeill, I. W. Clark, A. Garrason, R. McMillan, J. B. Underwood, Sr., D. H. Ray, H. R. Horne, Q K. Nimocks, G. A. Burns, J. B. Smith, G. A. Overbaugh, W. G Clark, F. W. Thornton, Dr. J. H. Marsh, H. A. Rankin, N. H. Smith, N. B. Alexander, J. A. Burns, W. E Kyle, W. F. Campbell, J. W. Atkinson, H. I. McDuffie, W. L. Hawley, H. McD. Robinson, I. A. Murchison, J. G. Shaw, H. L. Cook, J. R. Williams, W. A. Vanstory, Dr. McDuffie, A. A. McKethan, C. D. Sedberry, J. B. Broadfoot, Dr. McGougan, C. B. McMillan, J. B. Underwood, Jr., S. H. Strange, J. G. Hollingsworth, H. M. Pemberton, Dr. T. M. Hunter, J. F. Johnson, W. G. Hall, R. L. Williams, H. C. Bash.

Any other citizens desiring to go will be made members of this committee

The Mayor will have silk badges printed for members of the committee to wear during the trip.

Meeting of the New Board of School Directors.

The new board of School Directors for Cumberland county, composed of J. W. McLauchlin, I. A. Murchison and W. J. Smith, met and organized April 10, 1899.

On motion of I. A. Murchison J. W. McLauchlin was elected chairman.

Minutes of the meetings of the Board of Education from Jan. 2 were read to the board by the secretary, Mr. H. S. Averitt.

J. C. Bain delivered the papers of Mr. Cowan for the land in Pender county, and the board passed and ordered that $24 00 be accepted as the first payment and the other $1.00 be paid to A. H. Paddison for collection.

On motion the people of the different townships were requested to recommend suitable persons for township trustees, all recommendations to be forwarded to the secretary July 1, 1899.

As the State Superintendent of Public Instruction requested the members of the old board to meet with the new one, the board allowed J. C. Bain and J. T. McCorquodale pay for the day.

On motion the following bills were audited and ordered paid:

J. C. Bain,	$ 3.50
J. T. McCorquodale,	2 80
J. W. McLauchlin,	4 00
I. A. Murchison,	2 00
W. J. Smith,	3.80
H. S. Averitt, Supt.,	22.00

The board then adjourned to meet May 1, 1899.

News of Interest.

Trinity College played the first game scheduled on its southern tour in Athens, Ga., yesterday, and defeated the University of Georgia by the close score of 5 to 2.

Santa Cruz, which was captured by Lawton Sunday, is about fifty miles from Manila, and is in many ways a place of importance. It is the capital of the province of Laguna, and has a population of more than 13,000 persons. Possession of the town is of great strategic value, as roads lead from it to other important points on and near the shores of Laguna de Bay the great inland sea of the island of Luzon.

The Raleigh News and Observer states that Governor Russell expects at the expiration of his term of office to go to New York to practice law, be coming a partner of the firm of Meyer & Ricaud. Mr. Ricaud was formerly Mayor of Wilmington, N. C.

THE BEST PRESCRIPTION FOR CHILLS and fever is a bottle of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. Never fails to cure, then why experiment with worthless imitations? Price 50 cents. Your money back if it fails to cure.

If you have a cough, throat irritation, weak lungs, pain in the chest, difficult breathing, croup or hoarseness, let us suggest One Minute Cough Cure. Always reliable and safe. King Bros.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve
Cures Piles, Scalds, Burns.

Samoans Attack American and British—Two American and One British Officer Killed, also a Number of Marines.

By cable to the Observer.

Apia, Samoa, April 4, via Auckland and San Francisco April 12.—Mataafa's warriors ambushed a force of one hundred to one hundred and fifty American and British sailors and marines. Theree officers and four sailors were killed. The attack was made on a German plantation today. The Americans and British were forced to retreat to the beach before overwhelming odds.

LATER PARTICULARS.

Auckland via San Francisco, April 12.—There has been a most sanguinary uprising of the natives of Samoa against the American and British sailors and marines. A party of over a hundred American sailors and marines and various British sailors and officers were attacked by Samoan Rebels of the Mataafa party, who fell into a carefully prepared ambush. Two American naval officers and one British officer and four marines were killed. There were eight hundred in Mataafa's party, outnumbering the Americans and British five to one.

A Thrilling Account of the Fight.

By telegraph to the Observer.

San Francisco, April 12.—The Call prints the following special copyrighted dated Auckland, April 12th. Apia, April 1st. Eight hundred of Mataafa's men ambuscaded one hundred and five blue Jackets near Apia. The fighting was terrific, the American and British tars repeatedly beating back their assailants, who sought to overwhelm them with superior forces. Lieut. Lansdale and Ensign Monahan of the Philadelphia and Lieut. Freeman of the British gun boat Tauranga were killed. After the rebels were driven off the bodies of the three officers were recovered. They had been decapitated. Four marines were also killed. Mataafa's loss was forty killed and a number wounded. These were carried off the field by the rebels. Our dead were buried with military honors at Mulinun. There is constant fighting with the natives around Apia. The life of no European on the islands is safe.

The French priests brought the heads of the dead Americans and British to Apia having recovered them from the natives. The German manager of the plantation has been arrested and placed on the British war ship upon affidavits that he was seen urging the natives to fight.

Ensign Monaghan was gallantly assisting Lieut. Lansdale to rise, who had been hit by a native bullet, remained too long, and was shot as he was retiring.

Germany Blamed—Bitter Feeling In Washington.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Washington, April 12.—Surprise and consternation are expressed on every hand at the serious occurrence at Samoa. Beneath all the comment there is the most bitter criticism of Germany's evident unfriendliness to the United States. Officially there is no such criticism, but members of the administration privately don't hesitate to declare that Germany's unfriendliness is at the bottom of the troubles.

Admiral Kautz Cables Particulars.

By telegraphto the Observer

Washington, April 12th.—Admiral Kautz cables the Navy Department under date of Auckland April 12th, Apia April 1st: "While the combined forces of British and Americans under Lieut. Freeman of the British Navy were reconnoitering near Apia they were ambuscaded. I deeply regret to announce the death of Lieutenant Lansdale, Ensign Monaghan, Coxswain Butler and ordinary seaman Norman. Five were also wounded belonging to the Philadelphia. The British loss was Lieut. Freeman and two men killed. KAUTZ"

The State Department has requested the British and German Embassies to notify the Department of any information they may receive.

Germany Belligerent.

By cable to the Observer.

Berlin, April 12.—News of the defeat of the British and American forces at Samoa has just been received and is being excitedly discussed. Von Bulow, the minister of foreign affairs, has consented to answer interpellations in the Reichstag regarding the situation. It is learned that the present negotations for the settlement of the question are in danger of breaking off. The government has demanded of England a more precise information and her willingness to accept the decisions of the joint commission, intimating that the whole course of Anglo-German relations demand a reply. The latest news from Samoa has rendered the situation more acute and the best opinion now is that the settlement of the question is further away than ever.

Otis Cables of Manila News—Pressing the Insurgents.

By cable to the Observer.

Washington, April 12.—Gen. Otis cables: "Yesterday in the lake region Gen. Lawton pursued the insurgents eastward from Santa Cruz and dispersing them. He is now endeavoring to press them from the river, where they are concealed, into the lake. Gen. Wheaton drove the enemy ten miles eastward of the railway line of communication with Malalos. The loss was slight. The enemy made no stand. Spain has notified us that she will evacuate Mindora Polo soon." OTIS.

Crucial Point in Quay case Reached.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Philadelphia, April 12.—When court opened this morning the indications on every hand were that the *crucial* point of the Quay case had been reached. If the admission of the bank books was denied, the case against the Quays would collapse. District Attorney Rothermel is vigorously arguing for their admission and has offered to prove by letters that the discounts to Quay by the bank contingent upon the production of a letter promising to deposit the funds of the State.

J. Sheer, Sedalia, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and her life saved after all physicians had failed, only by using One Minute Cough Cure. King Bros.

Rheumacide is not recommended for the cure of every ill; it does not cure everything. But it is a certain cure for rheumatism, and is a fine blood purifier and laxative; try it.

RELIEF IN SIX HOURS.
Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by H. R. HORNE, Druggist, Fayetteville, N. C.

The following persons have paid their taxes on the lands advertised for sale by the sheriff to satisfy same:

Jim Williams, unlisted, 71st.
M. D. Cole, listed, 71st.
Wm. Thomas listed, 71st.
M. D. Clark, unlisted, 71st.
Geo. Signal, 71st.
Sam. R. Phillips, Black River.
I. W. Taylor, Black River.
R. T. Warren, Black River.
Mrs. S. N. Wood, Black River.
B. F. Smith, Black River
Mrs Erwin Barefoot, Black River
Mrs. Fannie Rosenthall, Black River.
N. McL. Smith, Caver's Creek
N. McL. Smith, stockfish
W. McL. Smith, Gray's Creek.
Mrs. M. A. West, Cross Creek.
1 stile Jane Hinks, Cross Creek.
Prim's Gilmore, Cross Creek, unlisted.
Giles Jacobs, Carver's Creek.
J. H. Carrol, Gray's Creek.
A. W. Carrol, Gray's Creek.
Jas. C. Smith, Cross Creek.
W. H. Young, fence tax, Cross Creek
Rev P. J. Jordan, Cross Creek.
Jas. Baker, Gray's Creek.
N. B Peppers, Cross Creek, fence.
Mrs. J. B. Caldwell fence tax, Cross Creek.
Jno. West, Flea Hill, fence.
Mrs. L. J. Carver, unlisted, Gray's Creek.
Mrs. L. J. Carver, fence tax, Gray's Creek.
Jessie S Carver, fence tax, Gray's Creek.
Allen Ray, agent, 71st, unlisted
Mrs. Sarah Butler, fence, Gray's Creek
Robt. Smith, fence tax, Cross Creek.
W. A. King, Carver's Creek.
Geo Shaw, Cross Creek.
Dolly Brevard, Cross Creek.
Martha Nash, Cross Creek.
Mrs. S. P Thomas, Cypress Hills.
D. A Bryant, Cross Creek, fence.
J. M. Graddy, Cross Creek, fence.
Mrs. H. B. Price, Cedar Creek.
Mrs. H. B Price, Cedar Creek, fence.
T. Jeffries, 71st.
Mrs. V. Branch, unlisted, Cross Creek.
J. S. Black, Gray's Creek.
J. S. Black, Mockfish.
J. J. Wade, Black River.

For a quick remedy and one that is perfectly safe for children let us recommend One Minute Cough Cure. It is excellent for croup, hoarseness, tickling in the throat and coughs. King Bros

I was reading an advertisement of Chamberlain's colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the Worcester Enterprise recently, which leads me to write this. I can truthfully say I never used any remedy equal to it for colic and diarrhoea. I have never had to use more than one or two doses to cure the worst case with myself or children.—W. A. SNAUD. Pocomoke City, Md For sale by B. E Sedberry & Sons.

Beauty in Blood Deep.
Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

A. B. WILLIAMS,
COTTON BUYER,
HAY STREET,
FAYETTEVILLE N. C

FAYETTEVILLE MARKETS

REVISED DAILY.

COTTON

Middling	6
Good Middling	6¼
Market—firm.	

NAVAL STORE

Spirits	39c
Common Rosin	70
Virgin	2 20
Yellow Dip	2 20
Hard	1 20

PRODUCE
REPORTED BY A. S. HUSKE, GROCER.

Flour—1st pat., sack,	$2.50@2.75
Family Flour—2nd pat., sack	$2.25 @ 2.50
Hides—dry—per lb.	8@10
" —green—per lb.	5
Wool—washed	15@20
Bacon—hog round per lb—new	7
" —ham	7½@8
" —sides—new	7
" —shoulders—new	6
Oats—32 lbs per bushel	40@45
Peas—clay	60
" —mixed	55
" —white,	60@65
Meal—bolted—48 lbs per bushel	50@55
" —unbolted—45 lbs per bushel	50@55
Corn—old—56 lbs per bushel	50
Onions—select—per bushel	None
Lard—N. C.	7@8
Tallow	3@4
Ducks	15@20
Hens—per head	25@27½
Roosters—per head	20@25
Turkeys—per lb	7½@8
Guineas	17½@20
Geese	25@30
Butter—choice yellow	16@20
Honey—strained—per lb	8@
Eggs,	9@10
Feathers—new	35@40
Potatoes—Irish	125@140
Potatoes—Sweet	50@55
Pork	5@6

HOUSEHOLD, DAIRY and TOBACCO BARN THERMOMETERS At HORNE'S DRUG STORE.

"I have only one complaint against your people. They are too much afraid of Paint.

Why don't they improve their homes by an occasional coat of Paint?"

This was the remark of a stranger who was delighted with the natural beauty of our town

A Full Stock of PAINTS, OILS, etc. At HORNE'S DRUG STORE.

Sale of Bank Stock, Notes, Accounts, &c.

On Saturday, April 29th, 1899,

at 12:30 o'clock p m, at the Market House in the city of Fayetteville, I will expose to sale to the highest bidder, for cash, 26 shares of the capital stock of the Bank of Fayetteville, N. C., also notes and accounts due the late Thomas Bullock. A list of same can be seen upon application to the undersigned or on day of sale

JEFF. D SESSOMS
Adm'r of Thos. Bullock.

H. L Cook, Attorney
April 6, 1899 d1tw3t

The Newberry Furniture Store.

This house is now selling handsome goods at REDUCED PRICES.

Sewing Machines, Handsome Chamber Suits, Oak Suits, Poplar Suits, Bureaus, Rocking Chairs, Side Boards, Wardrobes, Parlor Cabinets, Music Cabinets, Chiffoniers, Iron Bedsteads with brass trimmings, Easles, Curtain Poles, Ice Cream Freezers, Refrigerators, Bed Springs, Window Shades, Mattings, Lace Curtains, and a great variety of Household Furnishing Goods.

These goods must be sold and we are offering bargains.

T. B. Newberry's Furniture Store,
Thornton Block, Fayetteville, N. C.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

CASTORIA
for Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
BEARS THE SIGNATURE OF
Chas. H. Fletcher.
In Use For Over 30 Years.
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

LOST
Between Fayetteville and Cottonade an ELECTRIC LIGHT FLASH. Finder will be rewarded for its return to GEORGE B. UNDERWOOD.
April 10th.

Notice of Removal.
I have removed my law office to the Thornton Block on Hay Street, second floor, over Barns' clothing store
H. L COOK,
March 20-wtf Att'y-at-Law.

Hides, Tallow, Beeswax, Bones, Rubber, Copper, Brass and Rags,

Much Money For You

Hides, Tallow, Beeswax, Bones, Rubber, Copper, Rags, Brass, etc, bought by W. A. CRAWFORD It will pay you to investigate this matter. Gillespie street, Fayetteville, N. C.

Sale of City Lots.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, rendered at March term, 1899, in an action entitled A. E Slocomb against Harrison Williams, the undersigned will expose to sale to the highest bidder for CASH at the Court House door in Fayetteville, N. C., on

Thursday, May 4th, 1899,

at 12 o'clock M., the following described lots of land situated on the west side of Hillsboro street, opposite the Atlantic Coast Line yards, to-wit:

First tract: In the town of Fayetteville, N. C., on the west side of Hillsboro street, beginning at a stone, Brown's corner, on the west side of Hillsboro street, running thence N. 88 W. 123 6-12 to George McNeill's, thence as it S. 20 E. 54, thence S 88 east to a stone, 126 feet, on Hillsboro street, then as said street N. 2 E. to the beginning.

Second tract: Beginning at the S E. corner of the James lot and west of Hillsboro street in said town, and runs thence N. 88 west 136 feet with her line to her S. W. corner on McNeill's line; thence with McNeill's line S. 20 W 74 feet; thence S 88½, 157 1 2 feet to Hillsboro street; thence with said street N. 2 E 70 feet to the beginning, being the southern part of the lot formerly owned by Joshua Carmon, Jr.

Both tracts adjoin the other, and on the first described lot is an old house.

H. L. COOK, Commissioner
April 4th, 1899-1aw-4w

BUBBLE BLOWING.

We never indulge in "bubble blowing." Don't have to. FACTS are the solid foundation on which we build. "Nimocks," said a prominent County official recently, "I'll reserve the right to buy the rest of my groceries where I please, but count on getting my flour orders every time, so long as you handle "PERFECTION," for I consider it the *best* and *cheapest* flour sold in Fayetteville." TRIUMPH, our second best grade, sells for less, and wins a new friend every day.

Most everything you want in heavy and staple Groceries, Farming Utensils and supplies generally, at lowest prices, wholesale or retail. One and two-horse wagons sold on monthly payments. Leading brands of FERTILIZERS, including Acid Phosphate and German Kainit. Ask or write for prices.

Polite attention to all.

Q. K. NIMOCKS,
10 Hay Street, Fayetteville, N. C.

"OLD TIME MOLASSES."

We have just received a large lot of Molasses, such as we have not had for years. SEE IT BEFORE YOU BUY.

Our Michigan Flours

are still in the lead. If you have not tried a sack of "PURITAN," you do not know what you are missing. It is better than many brands on this market that costs more money.

We handle many of the leading brands of FERTILIZERS including Acid Phosphate and Kainit.

Our stock of Hardware is complete.

A. E. RANKIN CO.

CLOTHING.

The Cheapest and Best —place in town to buy a Suit is at— The C. O. D. Clothing Store.

Just received hundreds of Suits for Children, Boys and Men; so

Can Fit ANY One at ANY Price.

Remember, our stock is brand new, having just opened last September; so, if you buy a suit from us, you know that

It Has Not Been On The Tables Ten or Fifteen Years,

and, again, you are trading with people who are reliable and will guarantee every suit sold. Before buying a Spring Suit just call and look over our stock, and you will find that we carry no trash or old stock and nothing but the

SLICKEST, CLEANEST, LARGEST

stock of Clothing and Gents' Furnishings ever shown in Fayetteville.

ROSENTHAL'S
C. O. D. Clothing Store,
15 Hay Street, next door to D. H. Ray.

Pemberton's Book and Music House,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines,

Bicycle and Bicycle Sundries sold on *easy terms*.
School Books and School Supplies.
Singing Books, Bibles and Sunday-school Literature.
Pictures, Easels—Picture Frames made to order.

WALL PAPER,

Fancy Goods and Toys for the Children

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.
Our Stock is large and very complete.
Prices low.

To the Readers of the Observer.

Our Mr. Crawford has just returned from the northern markets and his purchases of Spring goods, now coming in, is making THIS STORE the talk of the community. The styles, the quality and the prices have never been equalled in Fayetteville. This is a broad assertion, but it only requires a visit here to convince you that it is backed up by solid, undeniable *facts*. The readers of this paper, and we number them by hundreds, who have done business with us, know that the story and this store always agree; that we line up to our advertisements in every detail; that we have the most modern ideas of store keeping; that we are leaders, not only in the largest assortments and the very best goods, but in low prices as well. Of those who have never done business with us we only ask an inspection to convince you of the above facts.

DRY GOODS.

Yard-wide Percals, beautiful assortment of patterns, at 5, 6¼ and 10 cents a yard; Spring Calicoes 3¼ to 5 cents a yard; Lawns and Organdies at 3½ to 25 cents a yard; Chambries, in short pieces, the very best quality, in light and dark blue, pink and gray, at 7½ cents a yard; Laces and Embroideries, the best line ever shown in Fayetteville, at 1 cent a yard and up; Ribbons and all kinds of Trimming; splendid line of all-wool Dress Goods, 38 and 40 inches wide, all new Spring shades, light, blue, gray, tan, &c., worth every cent of half-a-dollar, our price 25 cents a yard; Shirt Waist Silks, one and two patterns in piece, the newest styles to be had, at 25 cents to $1.00 per yard; any conceivable pattern in Piques that you can think of, white or figured, at 10 to 25 cents a yard; Linen Colored Pique Ducks at 7½ cents a yard; everything in White Goods—the assortment is perfect and prices all right; Plain White Lawn, Checked and Striped White Dimities, Nainsooks, White All-Over Embroideries, Tucking, &c.

MATTING.

Do you know why we sell matting cheaper than any body else? We only sell it by the roll. The merchant who sells you 25 yards of matting is compelled to charge you enough on what you buy to make up for the 15 yards he has left and has to sell at cost and less. We have no loss to charge you for because we only sell by piece. We are showing a splendid line, every piece new, $5 00 a roll and up. Large Smyrna Rugs, reversible, nearly two yards long, fringed ends, at $1.25 each. Our whole line of rugs is a marvel of cheapness.

SHOES.

That our shoe trade has steadily grown every month since we opened business here, our shoe sales for the last six months being double what they were the six months preceding, is very good proof that we are giving more style and service and for less money than the average shoe dealer. Our new Spring Stock is just in and includes everything desirable in the shoe line—all colors, all shapes and all prices. Our line of ladies' shoes and Oxford ties in tan and black, at $1.25, $1 34, $1.48, $1.69, $2 00, $2.25 and $2.50 are the best values we have ever shown. Every pair is new. Men's Shoes—all new shapes, tan or black—at $1 25, $1.75, $2.00, $2.69, $3 19 and $3 50 per pair are just as great values and every pair will give the wearer satisfaction. Of course we have cheaper shoes for men and ladies and brand new ladies' at 69 and 75 cents and $1 00 per pair. Oxford ties at 50 cents and up. Anything in children's shoes you can call for.

Men's Negligee and White Shirts.

All the new things in Negligee Shirts, silk fronts included. Styles are the prettiest this season that we have ever seen. Collars and Cuffs attached or detached, soft or stiff bosoms, any way you like them. Price 25 cents to $1 00. Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, all sizes, at 25 cents each. Our unlaundered White Shirt for 50 cents is as good as the Pearl or any other brand. We have all the new things in Collars and Cuffs for men, ladies and boys.

Ladies' Ready-Made Shirt Waists.

Every one new, not the cheap, thrown-together kind, but made and made well and in the latest styles. All have detachable collars—all laundered and ready to wear. Price 25 to 75 cents each.

OUR BARGAIN COUNTERS

never had as many genuine values on them as now. Haven't room to mention the hundreds of new things that have been added to them.

Remember that we sell the new improved *WHEELER & WILSON BALL BEARING SEWING MACHINE*—the best sewing machine on earth. We sell it, like everything else we sell, for spot cash. Will save you from $10.00 to $25 00 on a machine. Have knocked agent's profits on them higher than a kite. If you are interested in a new sewing machine writs us.

M. F. CRAWFORD & CO.,
At the Holt Store, Fayetteville, N. C.

See My Samples for New Goods now on hand.

H. H. CARTLAND,
The Up-To-Date Greensboro Tailor.

A pretty, new and nobby line of Goods for Suitings, Pants and Vests are always on hand, and his prices are reasonable at all times.

FAYETTEVILLE STEAM LAUNDRY.

We are at the same place turning out work that looks like new. We want everybody to give us a trial, and, if not satisfactory, it will cost you nothing. We give special attention to Shirts, Collars and Cuffs. If the neck-bands are worn we will reband them for you.

WANTED.

An agent in every town, school and village. Good commission guaranteed. Also smart boy to collect and deliver bundles.

Ledbetter Bros.

READY FOR SPRING - BUSINESS.

We have everything in the Clothing line for Men and Boys. New Spring Stock now complete. More new patterns and up-to-date styles than any other house in the trade. Our specialty.

STRAUSE & BRO.'S
"HIGH-ART" CLOTHING,
both READY-MADE and MADE TO MEASURE.

SAMUEL STERNBERGER & CO.'S SHIRTS,
white and fancy, in the celebrated "Pearl" and "Eclipse" brands.

Hats and Caps in great variety, including all new colors and nobby shapes.

Have added largely to our Men's Shoe Department this season and show an attractive assortment in this line.

We handle only reliable goods of reliable makes in all departments, and are prepared to make prices attractive.

We Want Your Trade.
J. A. BURNS & CO.,
Thornton Block, Fayetteville, N. C.

The Capewell Horse Shoe Nails.

I have taken the exclusive agency for these celebrated nails and will keep a stock of all sizes for sale at factory prices.

WALTER WATSON.

Tried Friends Best.

For thirty years Tutt's Pills have proven a blessing to the invalid. Are truly the sick man's friend.

A Known Fact

For bilious headache, dyspepsia sour stomach, malaria, constipation and all kindred diseases.

TUTT'S Liver PILLS

AN ABSOLUTE CURE.

Double the Size of Ice Plant.

Mr. J. L. Vandeveer will be better prepared this summer than ever to furnish ice to this and adjoining communities. Yesterday the new ice machine arrived and this will double the output.

Anhydrous ammonia gas will be used while the old machine used Aqua ammonia.

Supreme Court Decisions

The Supreme Court Tuesday handed down the following decisions of local interest:

Bank vs. Nimocks, from Cumberland; affirmed.

LeDue vs. Slocomb, from Cumberland; affirmed.

The expected decision in the case of Broadfoot against the city of Fayetteville was not handed down for some reason or other.

Colonel De Lagnel Still Living.

Dr. Haigh received a letter last week from Col. Julian A. De Lagnel, who, his many friends will be glad to learn, is living in comparatively good health in Alexandria, Virginia. Colonel De Lagnel was the hero of the day in the capture of the Arsenal in 1861 and the matters that followed in connection therewith, and afterwards gained renown in the more serious business of Rich Mountain and other battles. He was so seriously disabled at the former that he was incapacitated for field service and was appointed Assistant Chief of Ordnance of the Confederate Army.

Miss Mabel Green's Marriage Announced

The following invitations, handsomely executed by Tiffany, are being sent out;

Colonel and Mrs. Wharton Jackson Green
request the honor of
[your]
presence at the marriage of their daughter
Mabel Ellery
to
Mr. George Blow Elliott
on Wednesday afternoon, April the nineteenth
at three o'clock, at
Saint John's Church
Fayetteville, North Carolina.

Bicycle Thief Captured.

Isaac Hodges was arrested Thursday charged with stealing Mr. Jas. Phillips's bicycle Saturday night a week ago. He admitted having the wheel in his possession, but said that he had bought it from another man. He was held for trial, and Mr. Jas. Evans, who vouched for his character, went on his bond.

As soon as he was liberated he began a search for the man he got the wheel from, with the result that he located him at Wade, went up there on the train, found him and had him arrested. His name is Geo. McPhail and he arrived here that afternoon in the custody of an officer.

"All Hail To Our Chief Town."

Rev. P. R. Law, in the Lumber Bridge News department of the Robesonian, has the following kindly mention of Fayetteville:

Night brings out the stars. The effect of the recent sale of the C. F. & Y. F. road hurt Fayetteville. The old town soon felt it. Its jealous friends beyond its corporate limits saw before that it was in a state of decadence. The fact was not so fully seen and felt at home. A sense of loss was keenly felt, the necessity for activity was clearly seen. As a consequencet he old town has taken on new life and enterprise. We are beginning to feel that the aforementioned reverse was a blessing in disguise. The rejuvenescence of the ancient town is a pleasing thought to thousands of a noble constituency round about. We shall be disappointed if the place is not more prosperous ere long that it now probably would have been under the old regime. An obstacle to prosperity has been removed and that is all. All hail to our chief town.

A Queer Accident.

By cable to the Observer.

London, April 8.—During an entertainment last night, representing a British battle scene, at Gadby in Leinster, seven persons were shot, one fatally. Muzzle loading guns were used and they were not known to be loaded.

WHEN TRAVELING

Whether on pleasure bent or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

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My wife has used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism with great relief, and I can recommend it as a splendid liniment for rheumatism and other household use for which we have found it valuable.—W. J CUYLER, Red Creek, N. Y.

Mr. Cuyler is one of the leading merchants of this village and one of the most prominent men in this vicinity.—W. G PHIPPIN, Editor Red Creek Herald For sale by B. E. Sedberry & Sons

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, The famous little pills.

From Thursday's Daily.

SHOT DEAD AT THE MARKET HOUSE.

A CROATAN TRIES TO RUN THE TOWN AND MEETS HIS END.

A Croatan named Cooper, from Darlington, was shot dead on the city scales in front of the Market House this afternoon. About one-thirty the business portion of the city was startled by a succession of explosions which sounded like the reports of a Winchester rifle, but were, in reality, revolver shots. Then Chief of Police Flowers was seen to dart from the south west jamb of market square and run towards the Market House, followed by a man striking at him with a knife, suddenly the Chief was seen to turn and hurl a revolver at his pursuer, which, however, missed its mark and the man rushed upon him to get in a death blow, when policeman Benton, who was standing on the opposite side of the Market House when the first shot was heard, ran up and shot the man down, just in time to save Capt. Flowers from the murderous knife which was uplifted to send home another blow. The man expired in a few seconds on the pavement where he fell.

Capt. Flowers was taken into Dr. McNeill's office, where he was found to have an ugly wound on his left arm near the shoulder. This was stitched up and dressed and the officer taken home, where he is resting quietly at this writing.

The body of the dead man was moved to the City Hall and an inquest is now being held over it.

It seems as that the Croatan, who was a well dressed man and apparently not much over twenty years old, had been trying to run things his own way all the morning. We first hear of him at Mr. A. Garrason's store, where he ordered some cheese and crackers and told Mr. John Garrason that he would return what he did'nt eat and pay for that he did some other time. He was ordered out of the store and went off threatening all sorts of things. Next he was seen sitting in front of Sheetz's furniture store in a rocking chair and when Mr. E. M. Sheetz told him to move on, he asked him if he was not the Mr. Garrason who had refused to sell him cheese, and if he was he would kill him. Being assured of his mistake he walked away. He then went to the Fayetteville Drug Store and ordered a glass of soda water which he drank and ordered another. He told Mr. Stancil that he would pay for the drinks later. Mr. Stancil told him that was not their way of doing business, and then the man became abusive. He was told that if he didn't leave the store a policeman would be summoned, and he replied: "Put your policeman on me and you will see what will become of him." He walked out of the store and began marching up and down in front of the door, peering maliciously at Mr. Stancil. The latter went to the door and motioned to Capt. Flowers who was standing across the street and explained the situation to him. The officer started towards the man when the latter threw himself at the policeman with an open knife in his hand. Capt. Flowers struck him first with his fist, but as that did not check him he drew his pistol and began firing almost at point blank range. Five shots he fired but without any apparent effect on the man and then he attempted to escape the murderous knife as above related. Whether one of these five shots struck the man or not will never be known, but certain it is that his body has three or four bullet holes in it.

The Coroner's Inquest—Officer Benton Exonerated.

Coroner Caviness held an inquest Thursday evening over the body of the man named Cooper, shot while attacking Chief of Police Flowers. Officer Benton was represented by Hon. J. G. Shaw and H. McD. Robinson, Esq., represented the city.

The evidence was substantially as published in Thursday's OBSERVER and the jury returned the following verdict:

"That the deceased came to his death from a pistol shot wound inflicted by Policeman J. H. Benton. That the jury find that Mr. Benton was justified in firing the shot to preserve the life of Capt. W. H. Flowers."

Sheriff Burns has sent several telegrams to Darlington, inquiring what disposition the relatives of the deceased wished made of the body. The operator there says that the man's father lives nine miles in the country and that he is now trying to reach him. Mean time the body is in the hands of J. R. McNeill & Son, the undertakers.

Dr. Floyd tells us that he remembers distinctly that about two years ago a Croatan named Cooper, so nearly like the man killed Thursday, that he was struck by the resemblance in talking to him Thursday, went crazy and killed an old man and several women and children before he himself was run down and killed. The Doctor says that he believes they are both of the same family.

Chief of Police Flowers, who is able to be out today, says that he thinks there is no doubt but that the man was crazy. It is certain that Capt. Flowers's right hand is almost paralyzed from the blow he struck the man in the face, and it would seem that only a crazy man could have withstood the blow.

The Marriage of Miss Kate Bryan—A Brilliant Affair.

Miss Kate Bryan, who is so well known in Fayetteville, was last week married to Mr. Francis S. Duffy, at Newberne. Her sister, Mrs. Jno. B. Broadfoot, of this city, was present.

A correspondent writing from Newbern says:

One of the most brilliant events in the social annals of Newbern, was the wedding ceremony at Christ Church in this city, this afternoon, when Miss Kate Bryan was united in the bonds of matrimony with Mr. Francis S. Duffy. The beautiful church was decorated with the flowers of spring-time, and long ere the wedding bells had ceased the seating capacity was taxed to its utmost with the numerous friends and acquaintances of the happy young couple.

The maid of honor was Miss Margaret Bryan, a sister of the bride, and the groom's bestman, was Mr. David R. Davis, of this city. The other attendants were: Miss Sallie Carmanlt, of Philadelphia, with Mr. Clarence Discoway, of Atlanta; Miss Mabel Hughes, with Mr. P. S. Cox; Miss Theodore Grimes, with Mr. Wm. G. Blasdel; Miss Isabel Bryan, with Mr. James E. Carraway; Miss Caroline Claypool, with Mr. Thos. W. Waters; Miss Mary Duffy, with Mr. Shepard Bryan.

The ushers were: Messrs. C. B. Bradham and Thos. D. Carraway.

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Mrs. T. W. Lee, Montgomery, Ala., writes: "Some years ago I was inoculated with poison by a nurse who infected my babe with blood taint. I was covered with sores and ulcers from head to foot, and in my great extremity I prayed to die. Several prominent physicians treated me, but all to no purpose. The mercury and potash which they gave me seemed to add fuel to the awful flame which was devouring me. I was advised by friends who had seen wonderful cures made by it, to try Swift's Specific. I improved from the start, as the medicine seemed to go direct to the cause of the trouble and force the poison out. Twenty bottles cured me completely." Swift's Specific—

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The Ills of Children.

Dr. Hartman offers his advice to parents on the treatment of coughs and colds.

LEARN to guard against colds. Nearly all the ills of children begin with taking cold. If your child catches cold don't wait a moment before attacking that cold.

To the ignorance or neglect of parents is due the fatal termination of many children's complaints.

If you are not informed as to the proper course to pursue to drive off a child's cold, write to Dr. Hartman, president of the Surgical Hotel, Columbus, O., for advice, and ask for some of his free books which contain the most pertinent facts about colds and coughs and all catarrhal diseases.

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Mrs. C. T. Rogers, Elgin, Ill., says: *Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, O.*

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Spreading the Good News Abroad.

We are glad to see that some of the papers are aiding the Observer in spreading the news of Fayetteville's future prosperity and her great railroad advantages. These she undoubtedly has beyond comparison with any city of her size in North Carolina. It is natural that every capitalist that has got eyes here prospecting, has pitched his tent with us. The Raleigh News and Observer of last Friday contains the following:

"When Maj. John B. Broadfoot of Fayetteville, was in Raleigh the early part of the week to attend a meeting of the directors of the Raleigh National, he told a member of the News and Observer staff that in addition to the new silk factory, which is to be larger than is generally supposed, there were other large enterprises on foot that would add greatly to Fayetteville's position as a manufacturing centre.

"The future of Fayetteville is assured," said Broadfoot. "In the days when natural advantages were necessary to make a great town, Fayetteville's trade was second to no town in the State. The war and the troubles that followed destroyed much of Fayetteville's prosperity but in recent years outside capital joined to Yankee energy and a general push and spirit in Fayetteville have given our people such an impetus that we now feel certain that Fayetteville within a very few years will be more prosperous than ever in the pristine days preceding the war."

The News and Observer then reproduces the article from the Observer about the Tolar Hart Belt mill.

Scenes In A New Role.

An Havana telegram says:

The Cuban [illegible] reportedly being dead, Gen. Maximo Gomez will take up a program of [illegible] the Cuban army. [illegible] withdraw from the island as soon as possible. His purpose is to make the people seem to have but one emotion and one desire—the thought of independence and of absolute separation from the United States.

[illegible] as the achievement, aided by the military administration here and countenanced at Washington. He believes that the [illegible] emerges from the controversy stronger than ever with the better classes. His theory is that the Cubans who before deemed him [illegible] are [illegible] chief are now [illegible] as a political leader, and that a few days more will probably see him in name general-in-chief of the army again.

The Cuban general Pedro Diaz, who commands in the Province of Pinar del Rio, invited a number of generals who [illegible] to a conference [illegible] the latter's future course. The possibility of reinstating Gomez as commander in chief was informally discussed, with the result that little or no opposition to the proposal developed.

If reinstated, Gomez would be of greater service to the United States in the disbursement of the $3,000,000, but his present political program means the keeping up of agitation and disturbance in the minds of the people and the weakening of American authority by producing the impression that everything done by the Americans is temporary and may sooner or later be overturned.

American observers consider any such agitation as extremely harmful to the [illegible] restoration of Cuban credit. Those who are high in authority and who have exceptional opportunities of knowing the character and ideas of Gomez think the United States may have trouble with him yet. His character is described as resolute, arbitrary, exacting and likely to make him a dangerous disturber.

Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Last season had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters Acetylene's greatest Blood and Nerve remedy all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, puts up the system, and [illegible] new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. Only fifty cents. Guaranteed by all druggists. Sold by B. E. Sedberry & Son, druggists.

As the season of the year when pneumonia, lagrippe, sore throat, coughs, colds, catarrh, bronchitis and [illegible] are to be guarded against, nothing [illegible] as a substitute, will "counteract the tendency" or is "just as good" as Dr. Bull's Cough Cure. That is the one infallible remedy for all lung, throat or bronchial troubles. Insist vigorously upon having it if "something else" is offered you. King Bros.

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Long Before the Polls Closed

at sun down Tuesday, it was known that the people had authorized the issuance of $15,000 in bonds for an Electric Light plant and $30,000 in bonds for a Water Works and Sewerage system.

The vote stood:

For Lights	375
Against Lights	7
For Water	373
Against Water	8

The following is the official election return:

"Fayetteville, N. C. April 4, '99.

"We, the undersigned, registrar and judges of an election held this day at the Market House on the question of issuing bonds for Electric Light and Motive Power Plant, and for the issuing bonds for the purpose of construction of water works and sewerage, do hereby certify that there were [illegible] votes cast for issuing bonds for [illegible] votes, lights, 375 votes, no lights, 7 votes.

W. G. Hall,
Registrar.
C. L. Shaw,
W. [illegible],
[illegible]
Judges."

Sensational Scene in the Dreyfus Trial.

By cable to the Observer.

Paris, April 6.—Le Figaro publishes the stenographic report of the Esterhazy-Henry interview. It was [illegible] Lieutenant Colonel Henry found himself cornered, he confessed to Paty DuClam and Esterhazy that he was the author of the spurious telegrams relating to intercepted Picquart, who stopped Bertulus and sent to Henry. Esterhazy and DuClam and guilty. Let the latter blow out his brains this evening, and justice will take its course against Esterhazy, the forger, who is now making charges against you which, if they reach the ears of your enemies may lead them to accuse you of supplying Esterhazy with the documents." Henry collapsed in his chair, speechless, then threw his arms around the Magistrate, kissed his forehead and cheeks, crying imploringly: "Save me, save me. Esterhazy is the scoundrel."

The Peace Delegates Appointed.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Washington, April 6th.—The Peace Delegates have been appointed: They are Col. Andrew D. White, Ambassador to Germany, and Stanford Newel, Minister to the Netherland, both Law of New York, Capt. Crozier of the U. S. Army, and Capt. Mahan of the U. S. Navy, retired.

The Cup Defender Ready For Trial Sail in June.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Bristol, R. I., April 7th.—C. Oliver Iselin says that work on the America cup defender is progressing satisfactorily, and that it is expected she will be ready for a trial sail in June. She will be launched the latter part of May. She will have three suits of sails now making at Herreshoffs. He confirmed the report that the under part of the new boat would be bronze, but refused to say what material the plates, top and sides would be made of. "That's just what they would like to find out on the other side," said Mr. Iselin.

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Land Sale for Taxes.

On Monday, the 1st. day of May, I will expose to Public Auction Sale at the Court House door in Fayetteville, N. C., the following lands to satisfy the State and County and Special School taxes taxed and due for 1898.

MCD. GEDDIE, Sheriff,
Cumberland County.

FLEA HILL FRENCH TAX, 1898

Board E J Mrs., 220 acres,	2 60
Capps W W, 100 acres,	1 32
[illegible]	3 24
[illegible]	3 24
[illegible]	1 21
[illegible]	2 46
[illegible]	99
Hall W L, 50 acres,	1 56
McQueen Lauchlin, 25 acres,	3 08
McNeill Duncan, 115 acres,	91
McDonald Hector D M, 207 acres,	3 42
[illegible]	85
Williams J P, 30 acres,	1 32
[illegible]	1 61
[illegible]	1 28
Williams J H, 14 acres,	93
Williams E J, 10 acres,	1 37
Gillespie Alex, 15 acres,	1 31
	93

GRAYS CREEK FRENCH TAX 1898

Butler Mary, 4 acres,	73
Byrne J H, 20 acres,	1 75
Butler J H, 20 acres,	75
Butler Sarah, Mrs., 7 acres,	1 04
Butler Chas L, 20 acres,	81
Bevard Wm, 50 acres,	99
Byrne Jessie, 17 acres,	77
Cromartie Peyton, 99 acres,	1 60
Cromartie [illegible]	85
Carver G W, 34 acres	99
Carver Jesse B, 200 acres	1 25
Carver L J, Mill, 40 acres,	85
Cromartie Q A, 6 acres,	98
Cromartie [illegible] 105 acres,	76
Evans Isaiah, 21 acres,	93
Fisher Lee and, 40 acres,	98
Gilmore Heirs, estate, 20 acres,	76
Hall W M, 213 acres,	2 67
Hall J M, 6 acres,	76
Hall [illegible] and others, 21 acres,	87
[illegible]	3 10
[illegible]	1 06
[illegible]	76
[illegible]	88
McDonald Frank, 11 acres	78
McLeod [illegible], 13 acres,	1 00
Maness Kate Mrs, 6 a res,	76
Maness U L, 60 acres,	1 20
McMillan Martha, 175 acres,	78
Pate Jas, 121 acres,	1 23
Pate Alex, 34 acres,	74
Raiford S F, 5 acres,	76
Smith John L, 3.7 acres,	1 71
Stanley H M, 18 acres	1 32
Smith heirs of Maness, 45 acres,	99
Smith N McN, 20 acres,	79
Thomas Jas, 113 acres,	1 54
Thomas M S Mrs, 130 acres,	1 83
Tew P L, 65 acres,	1 15
[illegible]	93
[illegible]	87
Williams Jno H, 25 acres,	85

CEDAR CREEK AND FLEA HILL FRENCH TAX, 1898.

Armstrong Rody, estate, 10 acres,	87
Baldwin S G, 68 acres,	1 25
Baldwin Caledonia, 34 acres,	1 17
Bullock Jno, 50 acres,	1 17
Bullock [illegible] 50 acres,	1 17
Gillespie D A, 50 acres,	1 32
Haywood Mary E Agents, 315 acres	3 13
Haywood Mary E, 26 acres,	1 11
[illegible]	1 07
[illegible]	85
[illegible]	1 61
Lyde E B, 10 acres,	1 40
Davis H P, 145 acres	3 24
[illegible]	2 29
McDaniel S F, 226 acres,	2 82
McDaniel L J, 262 acres,	2 35
[illegible]	1 46
[illegible]	1 07

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NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate, with the will annexed, of William Love, deceased, late of Cumberland County, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present the same properly authenticated to the undersigned on or before the 18th Day of March, 1900, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery, and to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement.

This March 18th, 1899.

G. W. GRAHAM, Adm'r.

NORTH CAROLINA, } In the Superior
Cumberland County. } Court.

BEFORE THE CLERK.

S. P. Denning, for himself and all other creditors of D. A. C Denning, deceased, vs. C. C. McClellan, Adm'r of D. A. C. Denning, J. F. Denning, J. M. Jernigan and wife, Venavius Jernigan, and Elizabeth Baker, heirs-at-law of D. A. C. Denning.

The defendants above named, and especially J. F. Denning, will take notice that an action, or proceeding, entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C before the Clerk thereof, being a creditors' bill and to subject the real estate of said D. A. C. Denning, deceased, to sale for the purpose of creating assets to pay the debts owed by the estate of said D. A. C. Denning; and the said defendants, especially J. F. Denning, will further take notice that they are required to appear before the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, at the Court House in Fayetteville, N. C., on Saturday, April 29th, 1899, at 12 o'clock M., and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiffs, or the relief demanded will be granted.

This March 17th, 1899.

A. A. McKETHAN,
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